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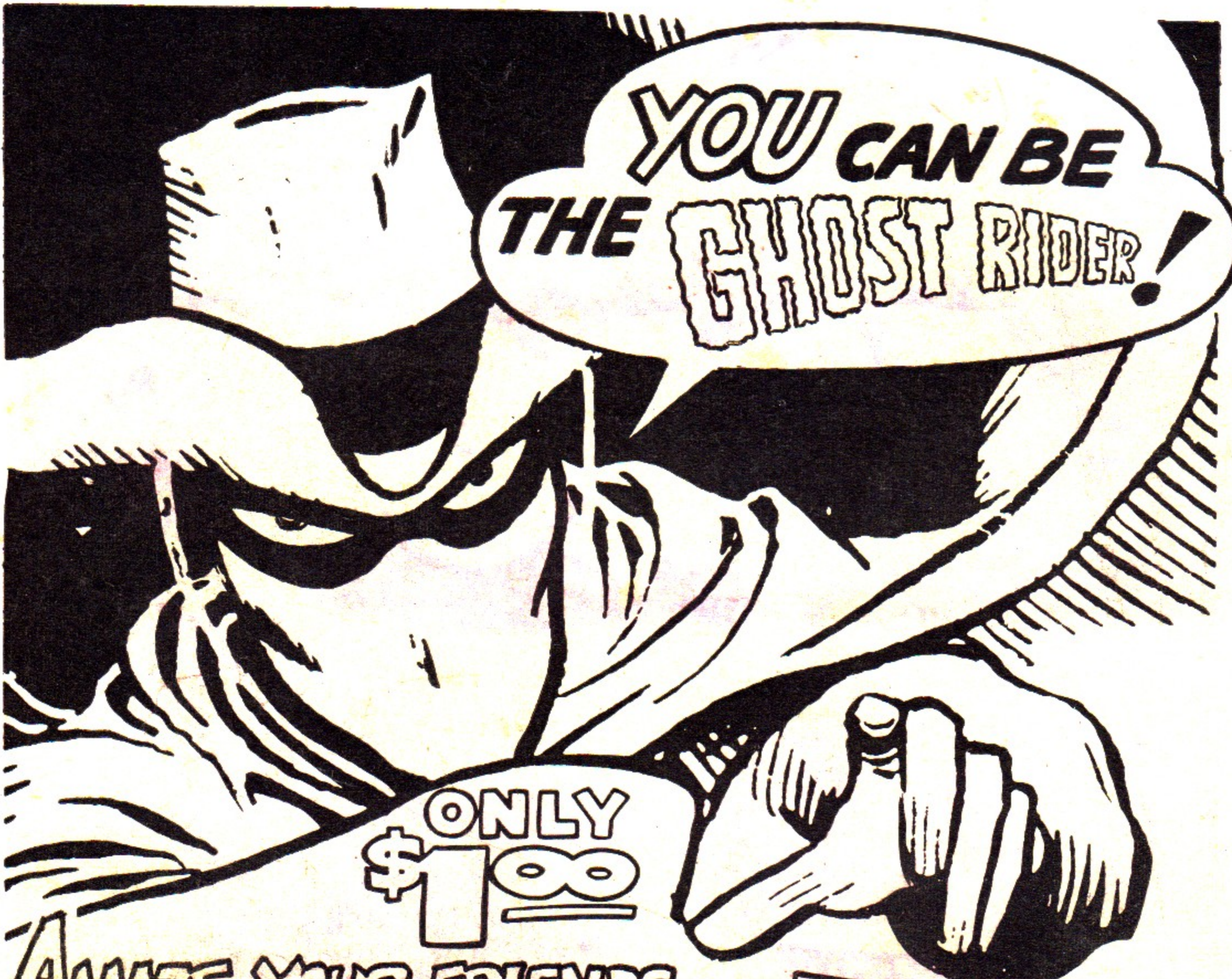
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# STRAIGHT ARROW

STRAIGHT ARROW, THE FEARLESS COMANCHE WAR CHIEF, HAS SWORN MANY MOONS PAST THAT HE WOULD RAISE HIS TOMAHAWK AND BEND HIS BOW IN THE NAME OF JUSTICE UNTIL THE DAY HE GOES TO THE HAPPY HUNTING GROUNDS! AND THAT DAY SEEMS TO BE HERE AS STRAIGHT ARROW STRUGGLES AGAINST FRIEND AND FOE TO UNTANGLE...

## "THE MYSTERY OF THE MISSING HERD"

TELL US WHERE THAT BLASTED HERD OF LONG HORNS IS HIDDEN, YUH FEMALE COYOTE, OR I'LL...

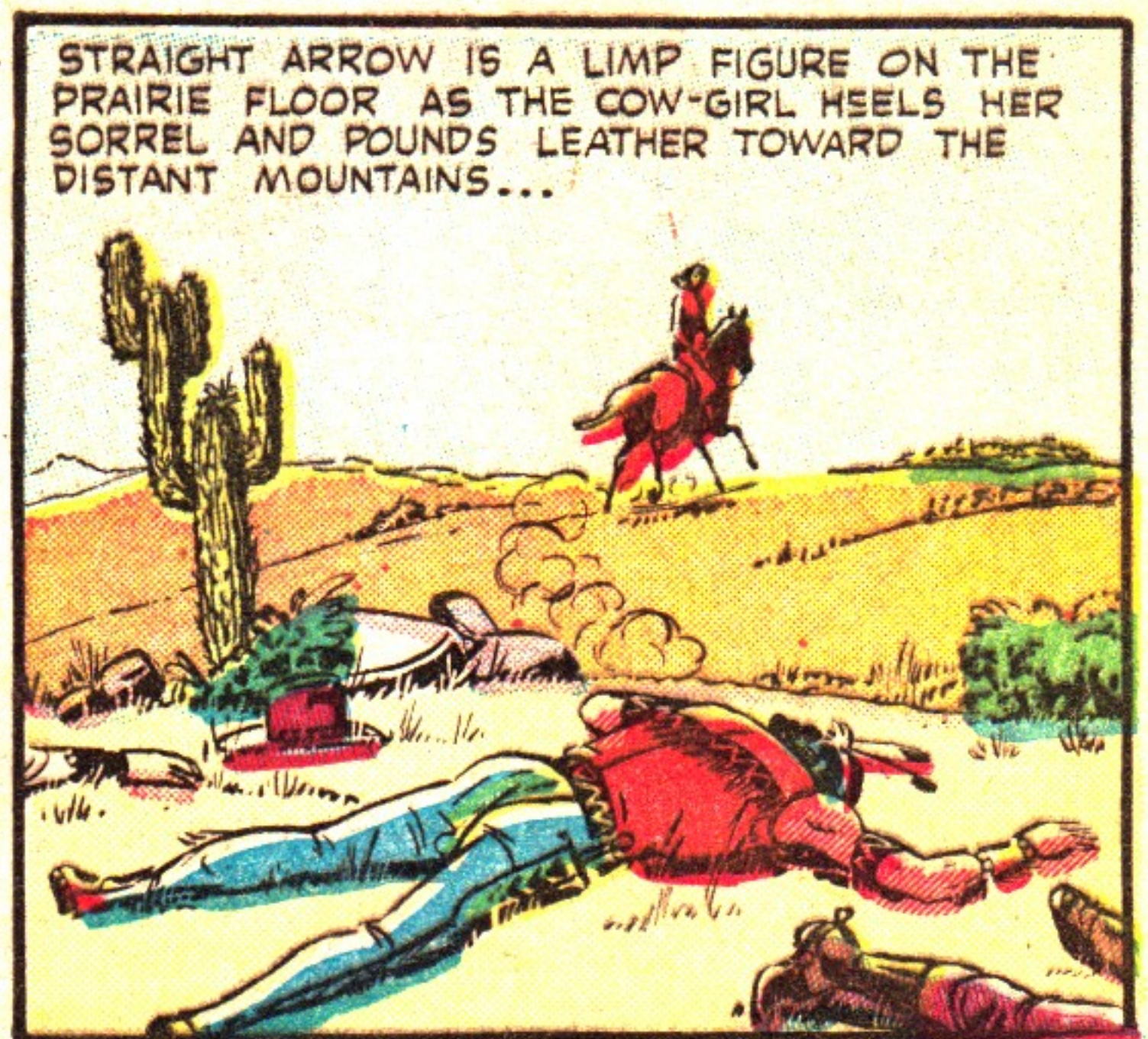
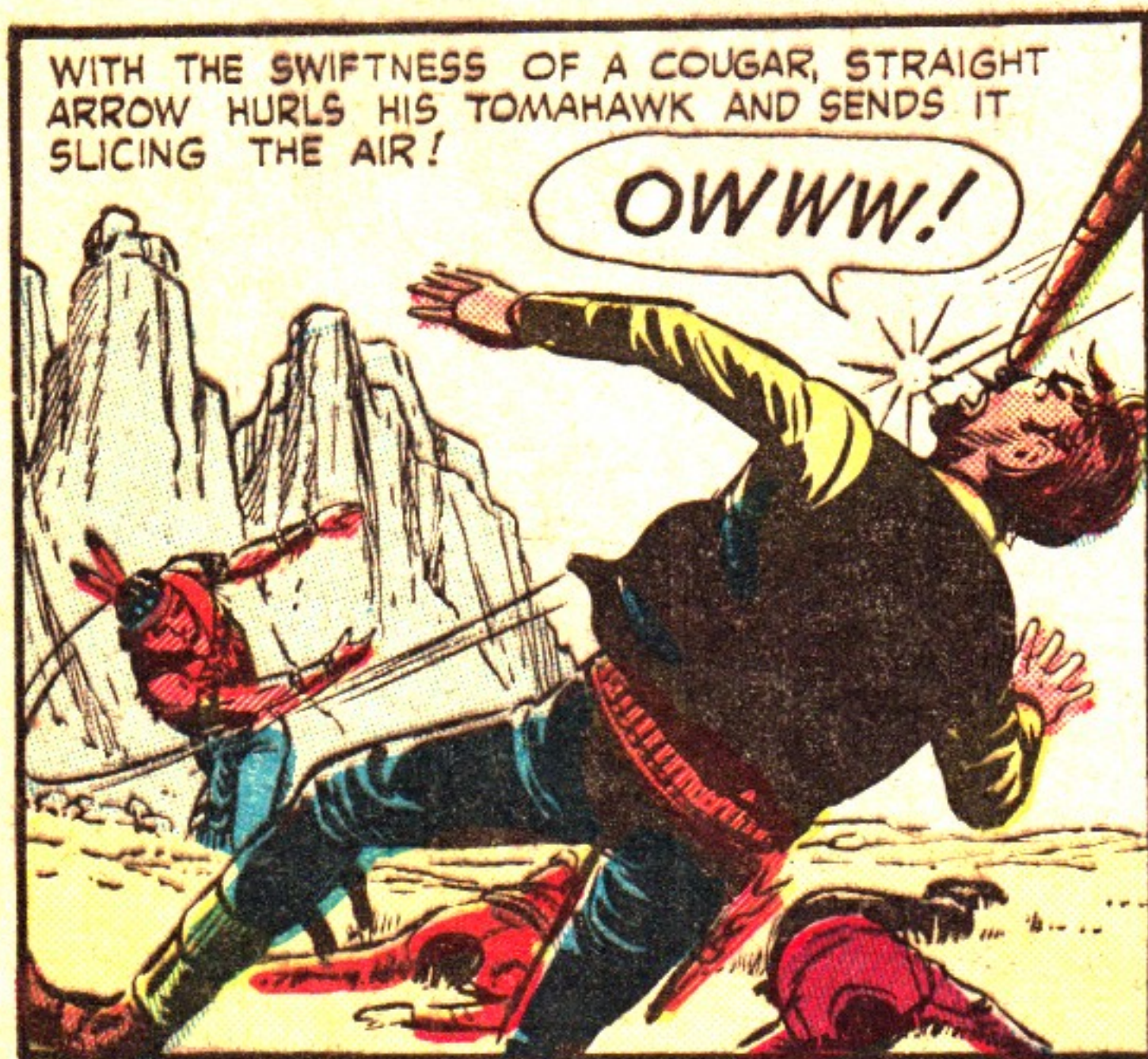
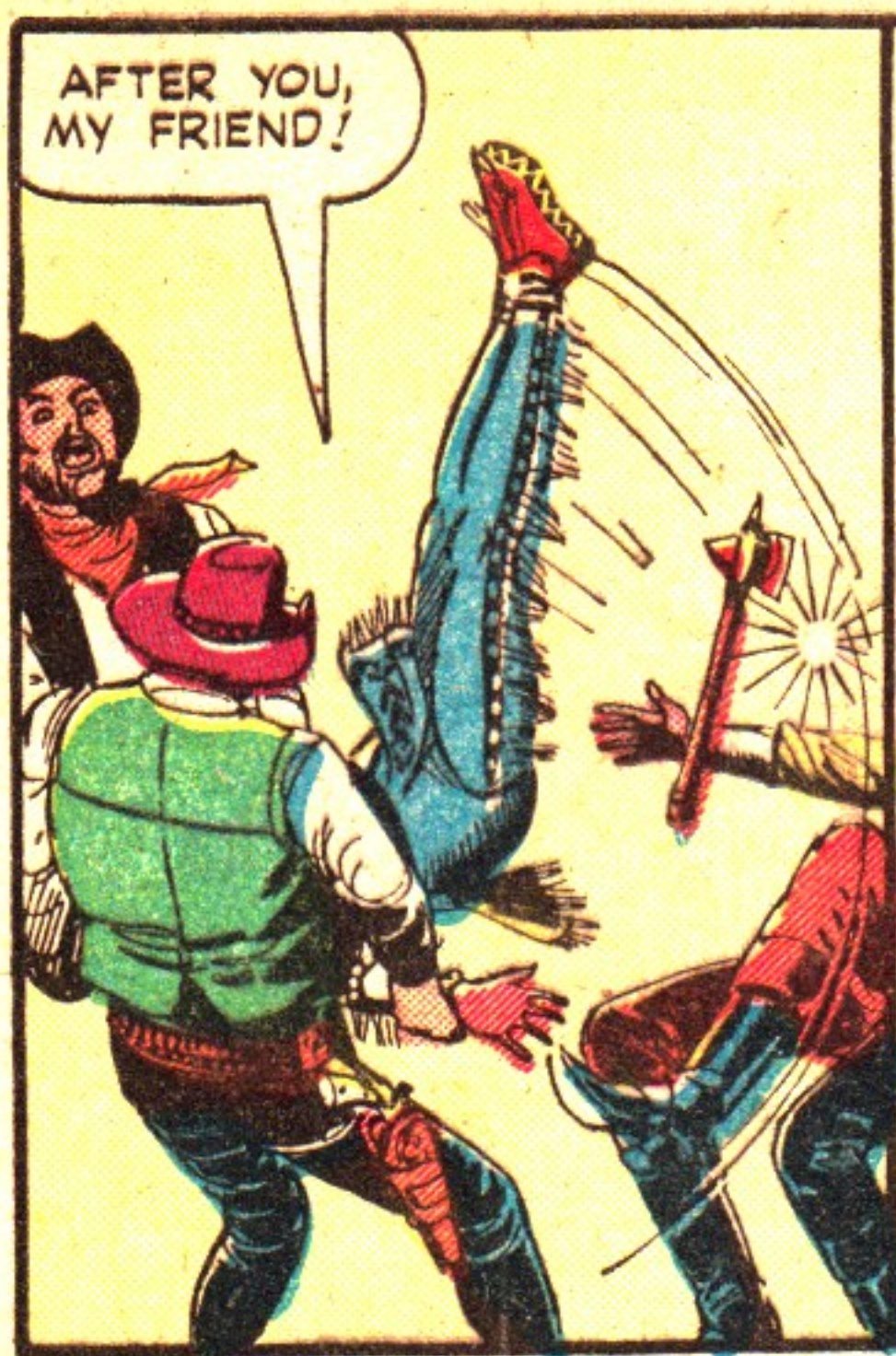
BLAZIN' BULLETS! HERE COMES STRAIGHT ARROW!

... AND DON'T FORGET FURY!

GRAB HIM! YANK HIM OFF HIS HOSS!

NOW I'M GONNA GIVE YUH SOMETHIN' YUH AIN'T NEVER GONNA FORGET, COMANCHE!







COOL WATER REVIVES STRAIGHT ARROW FROM THE BLOW ON THE HEAD... AND HE'S AMAZED TO SEE THAT THE MEN HELPING HIM ARE THE ONES HE FOUGHT...

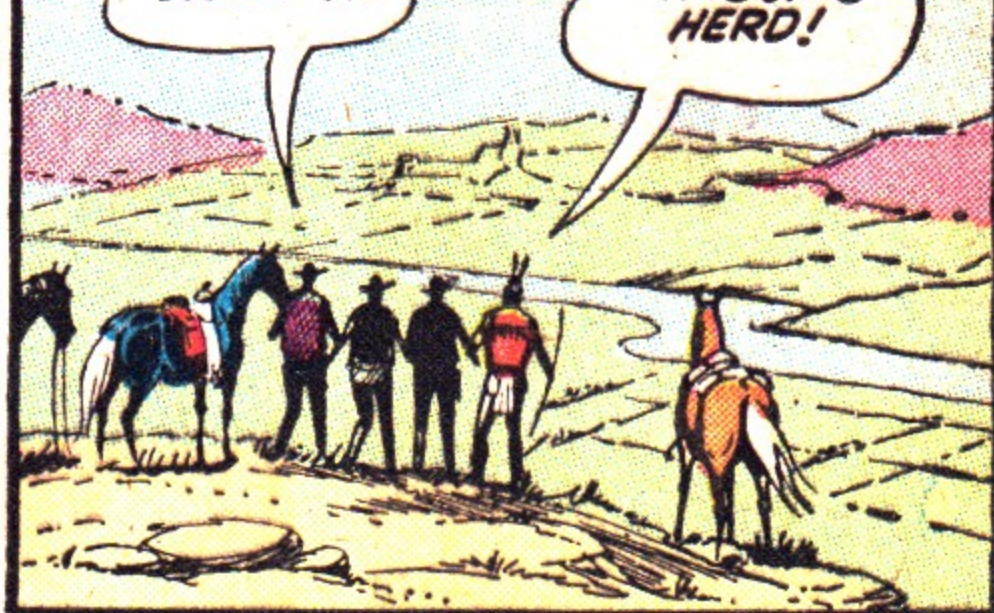
AFTER WHAT I'VE DONE TO YOU RANNIES... YOU HELP ME? WHY?

BECAUSE WE KNOW THAT YOU ARE STRAIGHT ARROW... AND YOU FIGHT ONLY FOR JUSTICE, BUT THIS TIME YOU MADE A MISTAKE!



THAT GIRL YOU FREED IS THE LEADER OF A GANG OF RUSTLERS! SHE HAS STOLEN CATTLE FROM ALL OF US RANCHERS AND WE WERE TRYIN' TO MAKE HER TELL US WHERE SHE HAD HIDDEN THE STOLEN HERD... WHEN YOU BUSTED IN!

THEN I SHALL NOT REST UNTIL I FIND HER AND THE MISSING HERD!



BUT NONE OF US KNOW WHICH WAY SHE WENT!

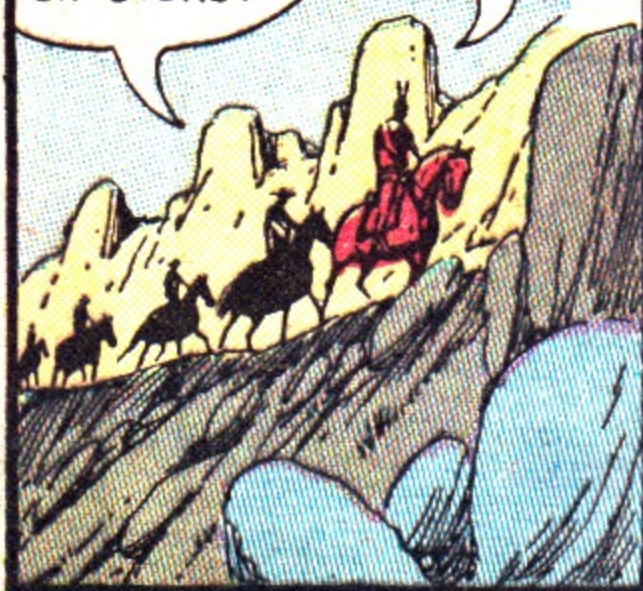
THE EARTH WILL TELL. SEE... THESE HOOF PRINTS ARE NOT DEEP... THAT MEANS THE RIDER IS NOT HEAVY... MUST BE A WOMAN!



THE MEN FOLLOW STRAIGHT ARROW AS HE PICKS THE COW-GIRL'S TRAIL THROUGH SAND AND SAGEBRUSH...

BUT NOW WE'VE LOST HER! WE'RE IN THE MOUNTAINS... AN' HORSES DON'T LEAVE HOOFPRINTS ON STONE!

NOT PRINTS... BUT SCRATCHES... LIKE THIS!



AND STRAIGHT ARROW KEEPS THE TRAIL HOT... AS IF THE GIRL HAD LEFT WRITTEN SIGN-POSTS BEHIND HER...

THAT COMANCHE IS BETTER THAN A BLOODHOUND!

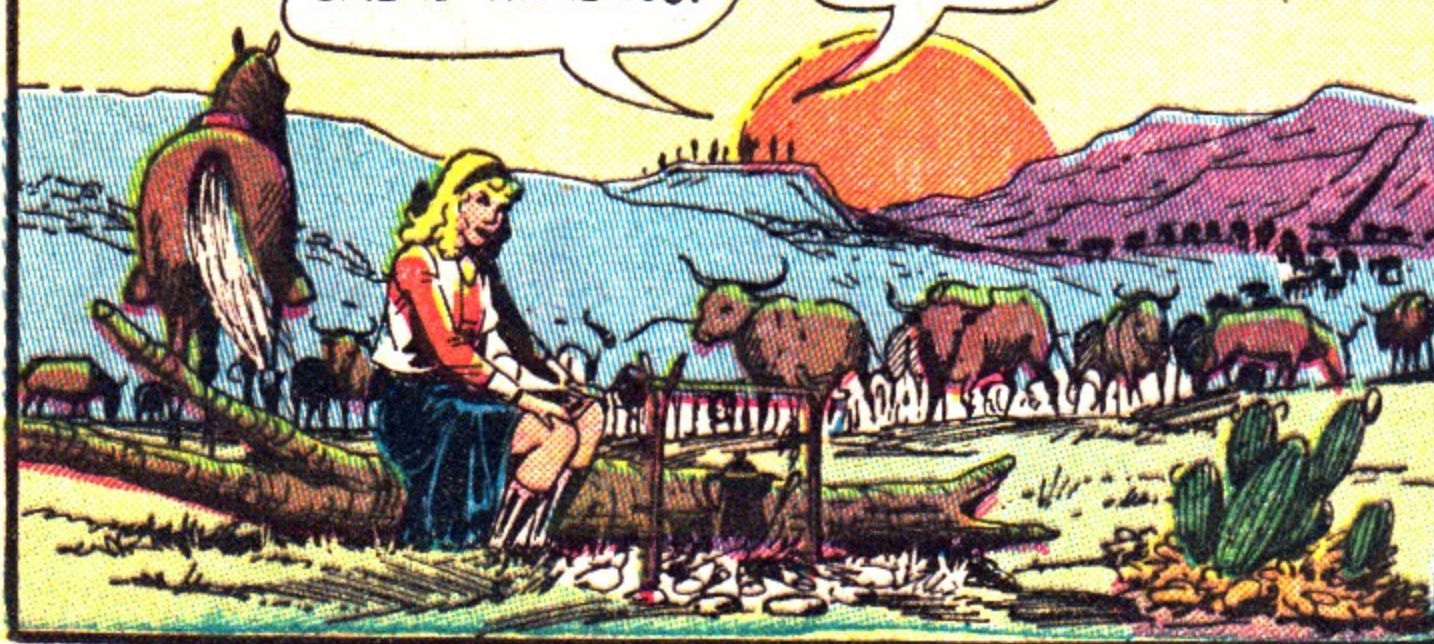
YEAH... BET HE COULD READ SIGN OF A BUZZARD!



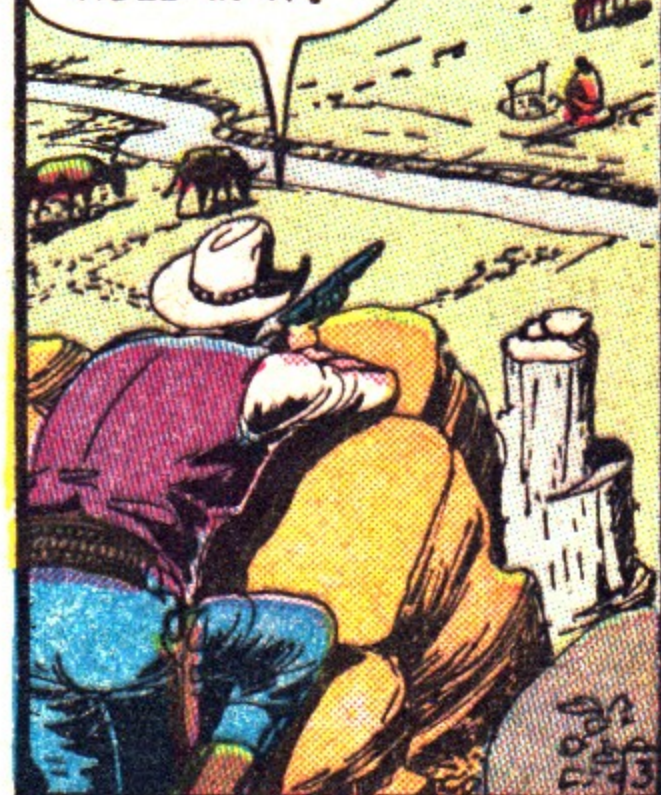
THE SUN IS BRILLIANT—AN ORANGE BALL HUNG LOW IN THE STEEL SKY WHEN STRAIGHT ARROW REINS FURY TO A STOP ON TOP OF THE MOUNTAIN AND POINTS DOWN INTO A HIDDEN VALLEY...

THERE THEY ARE... THE MYSTERY OF THE MISSING HERD IS A MYSTERY NO MORE. AND THE CORN-HAIRED GIRL IS THERE TOO!

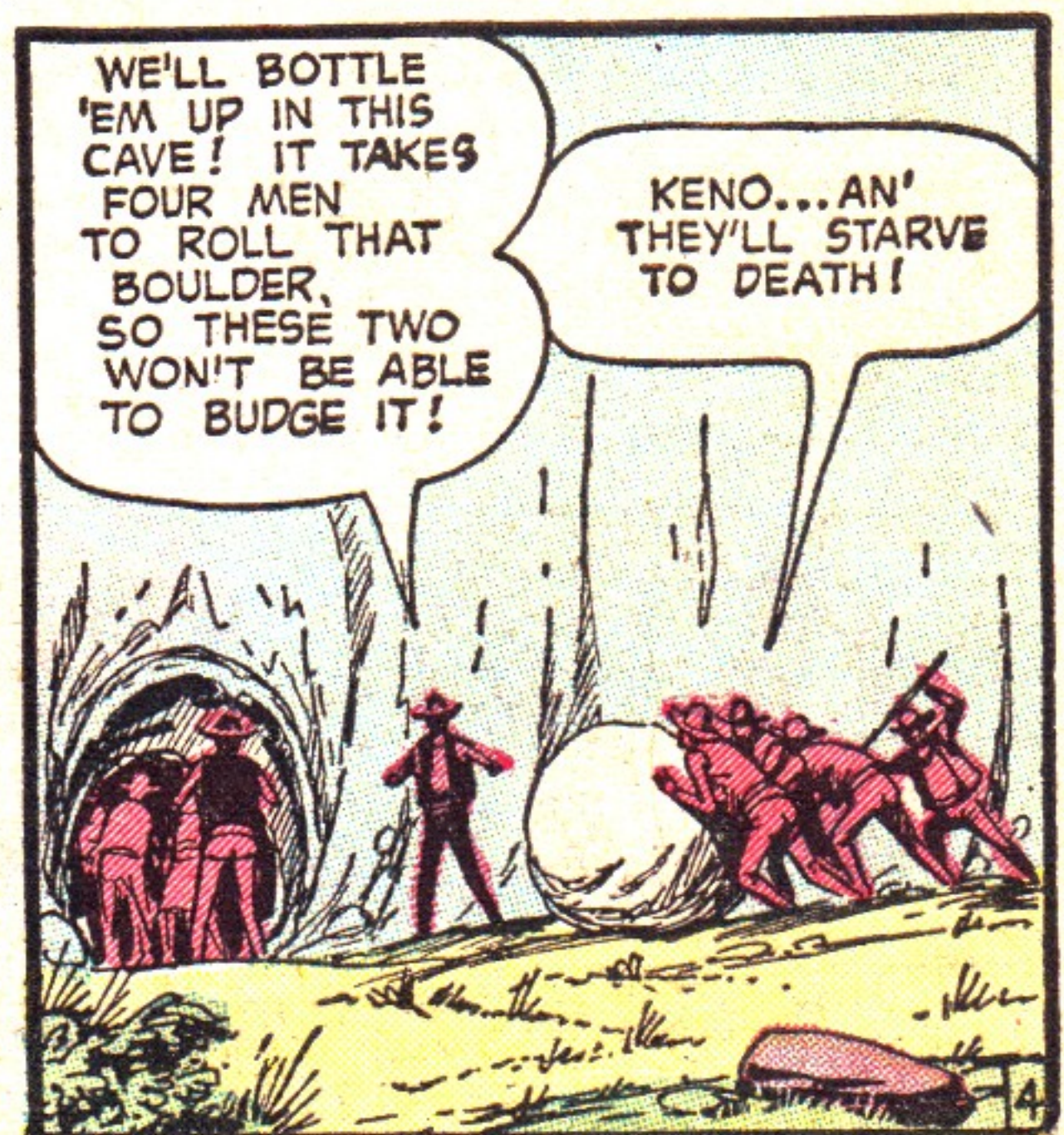
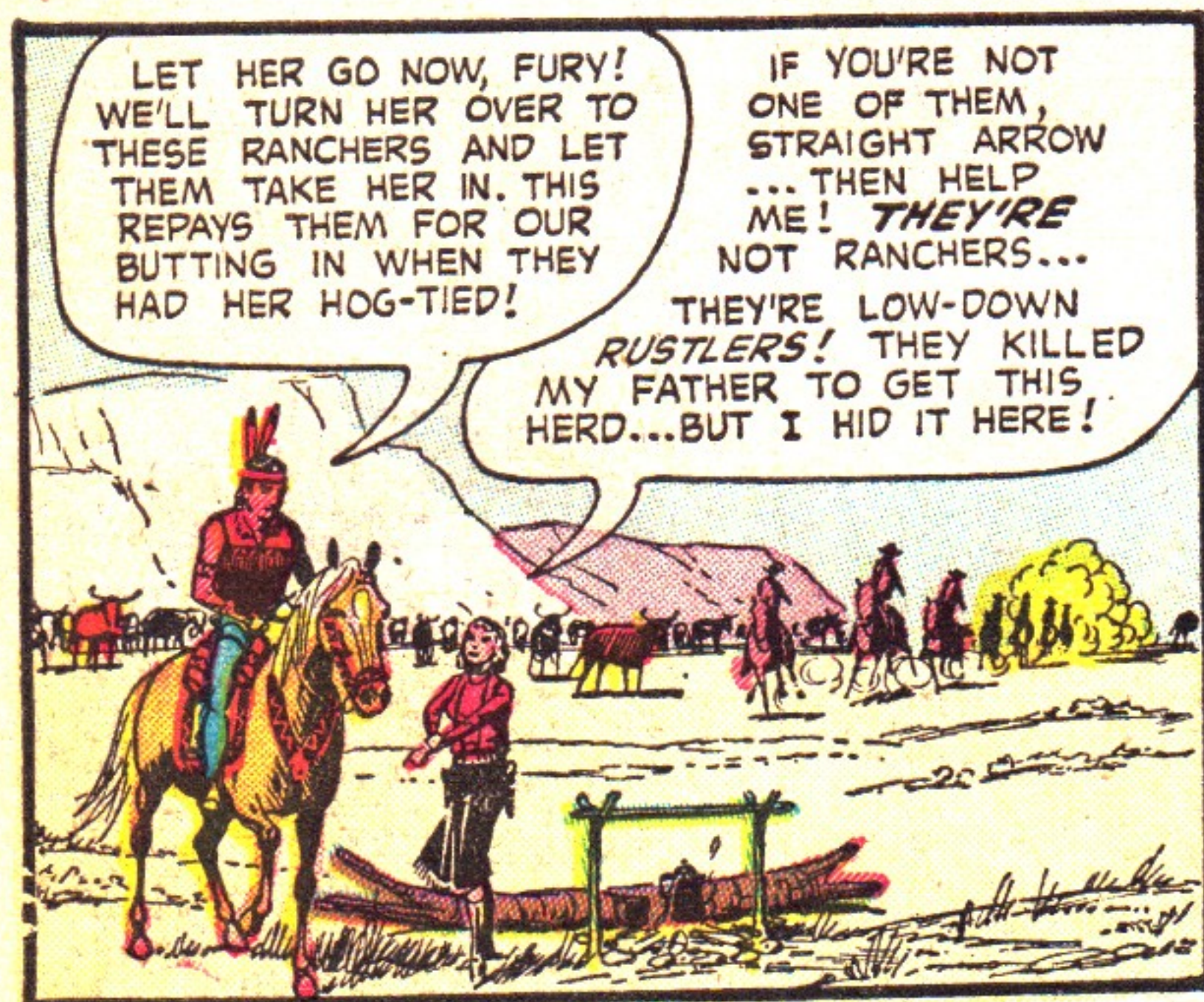
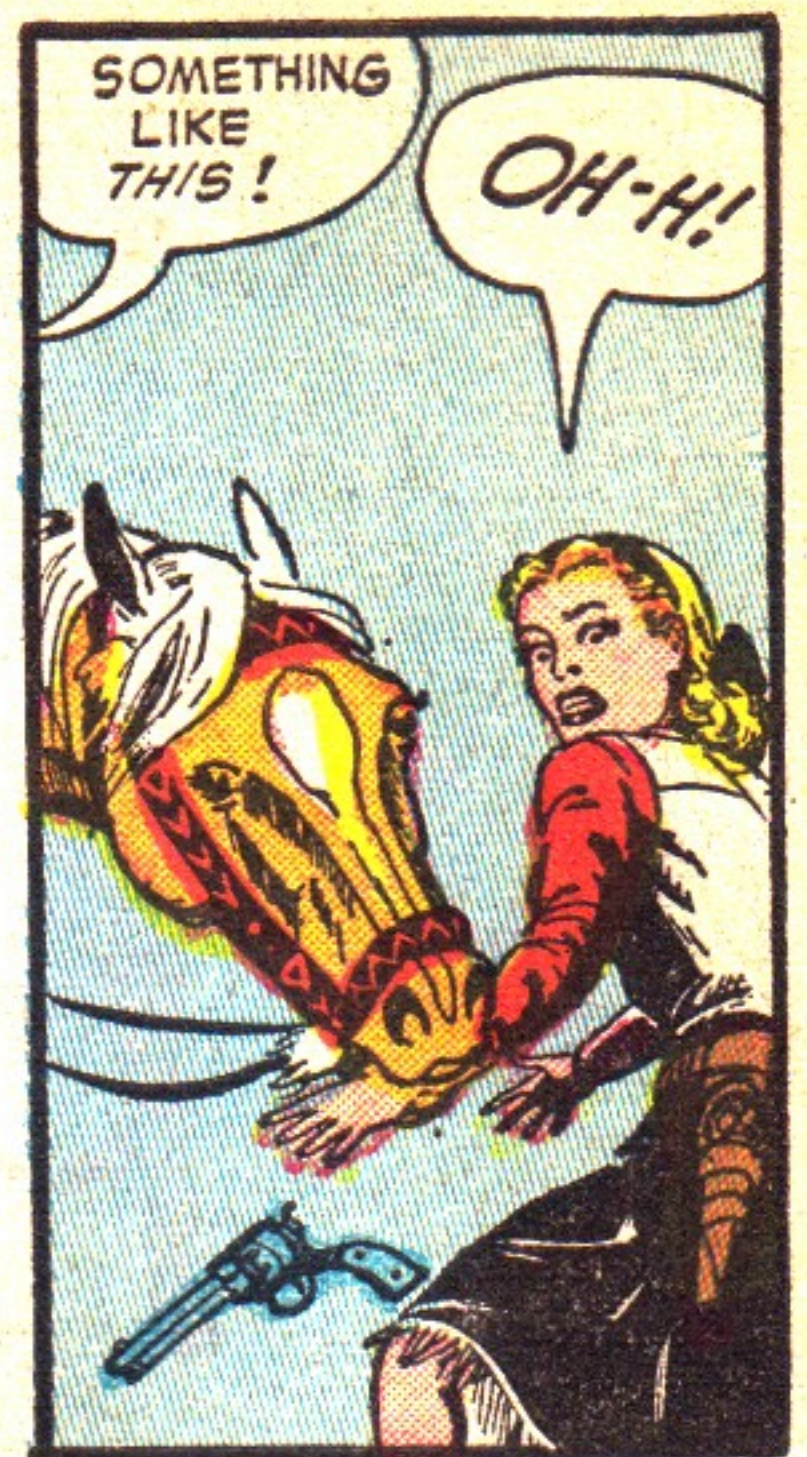
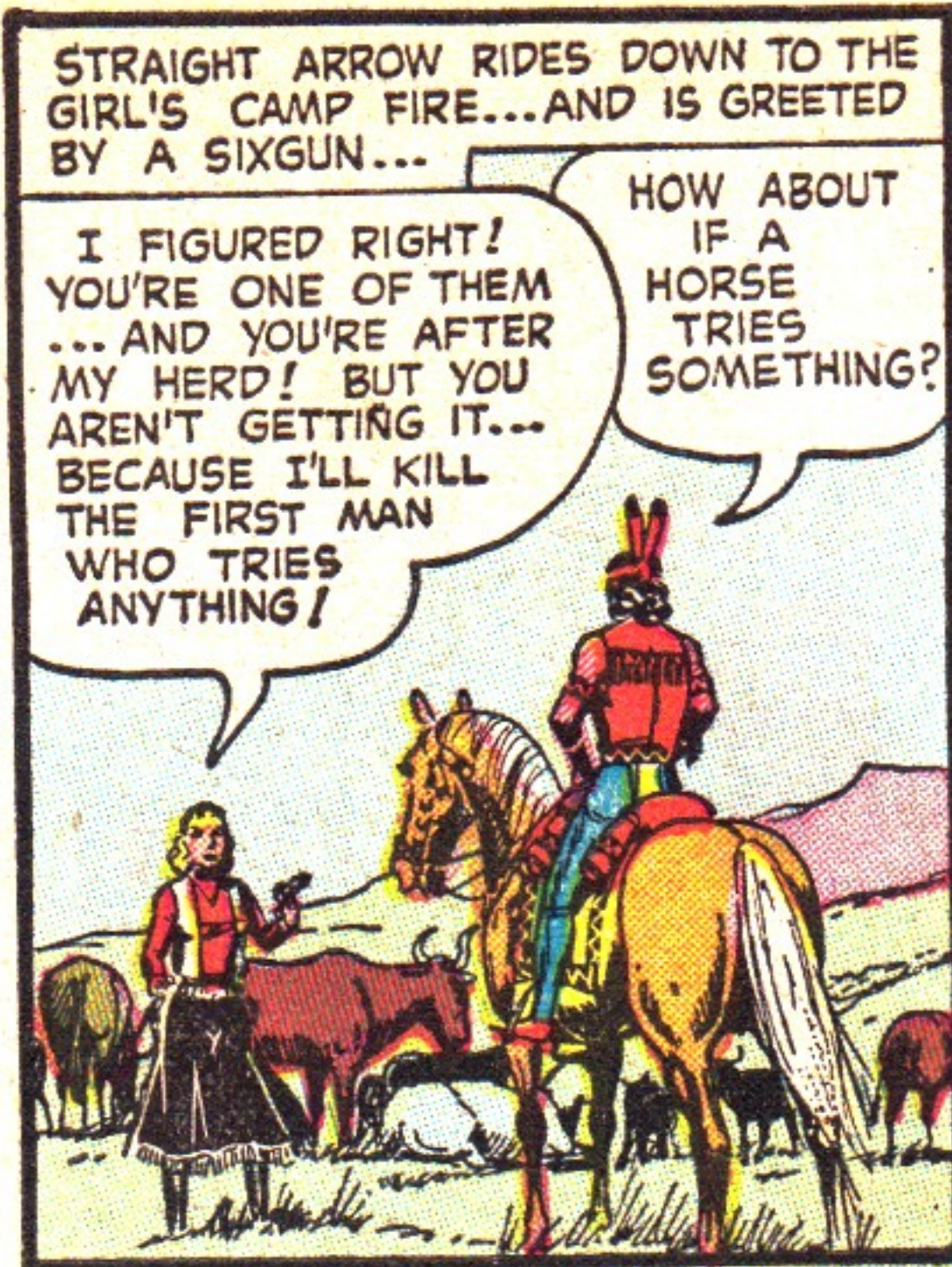
CRAWLIN' COYOTES! THERE MUST BE OVER A THOUSAND HEAD DOWN THERE!



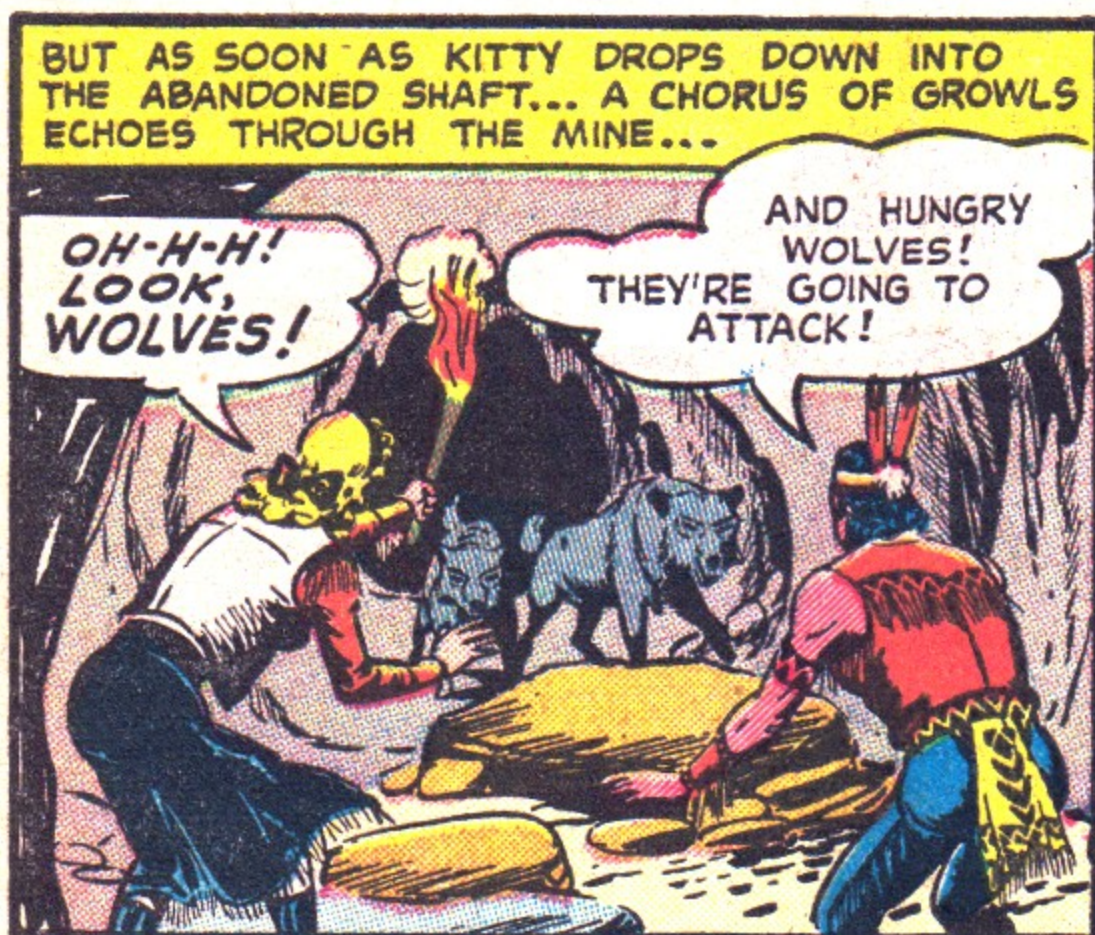
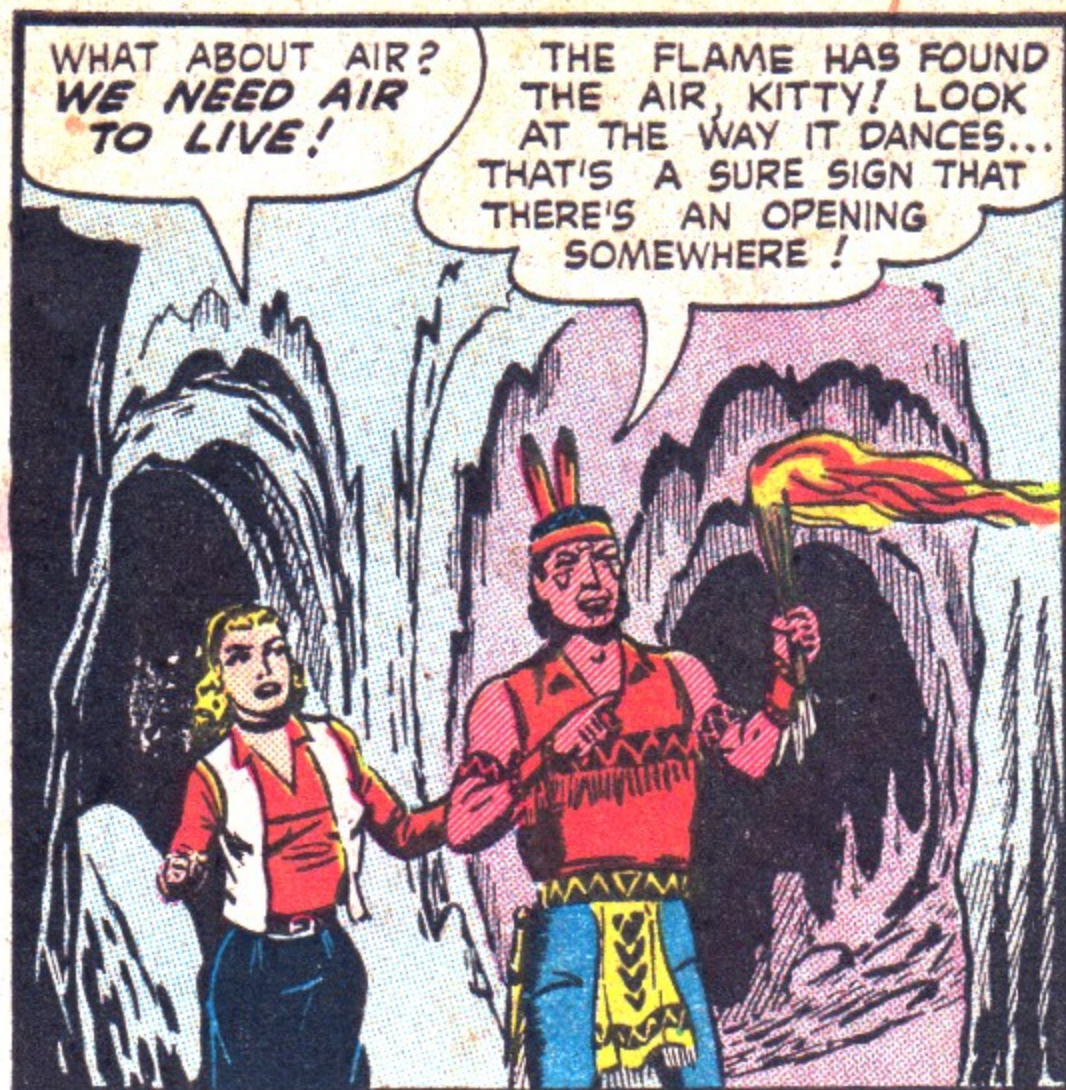
YEAH... AN' ONE PRETTY BLOND HEAD IS GONNA HAVE A BULLET HOLE IN IT!



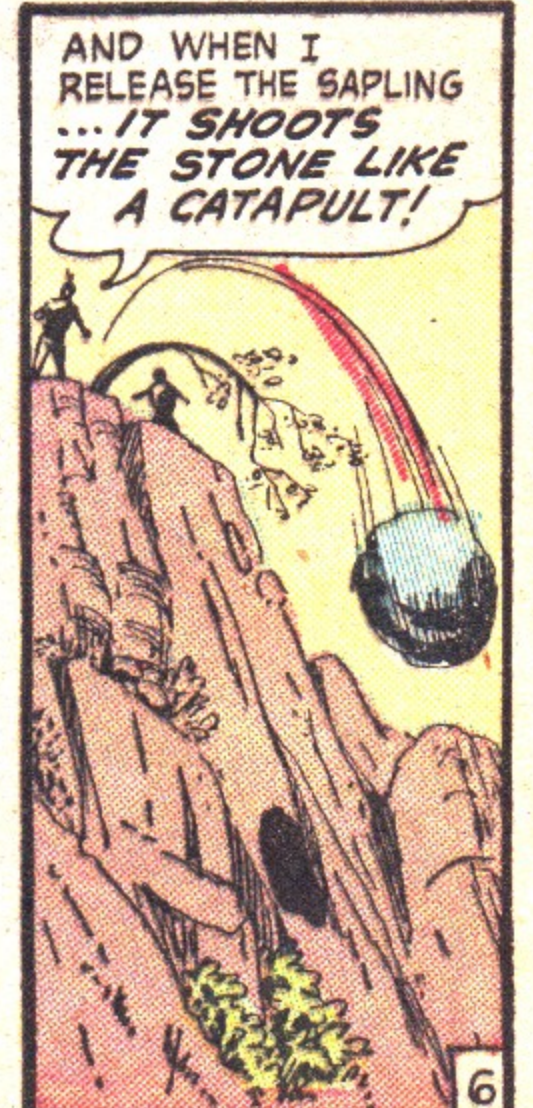
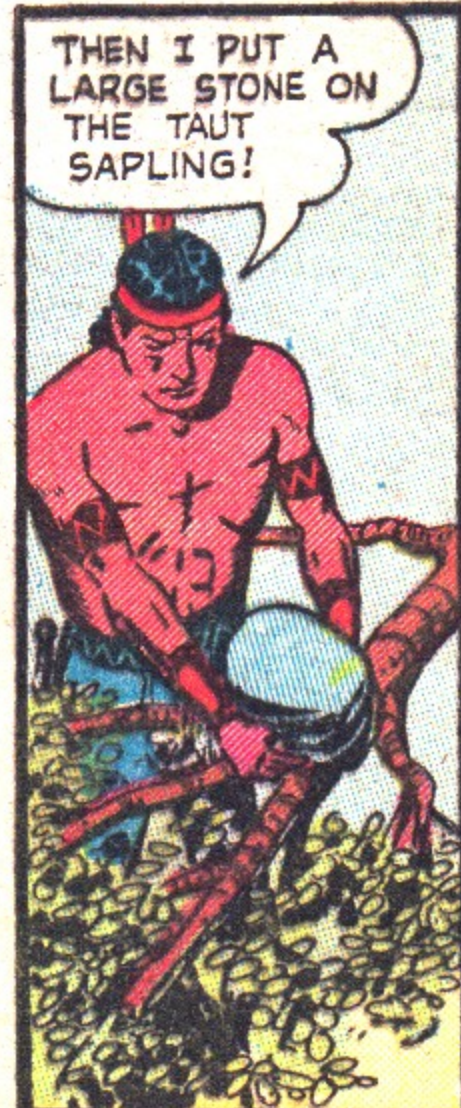
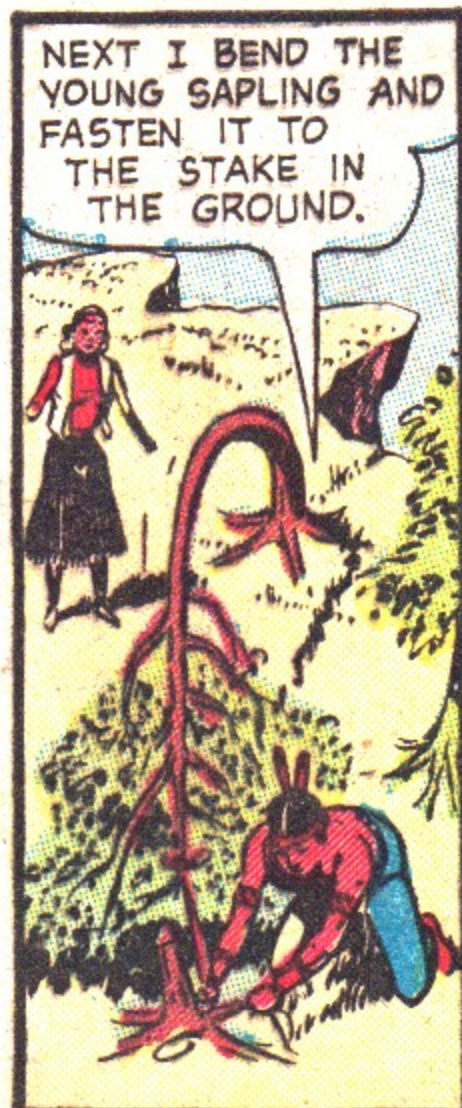
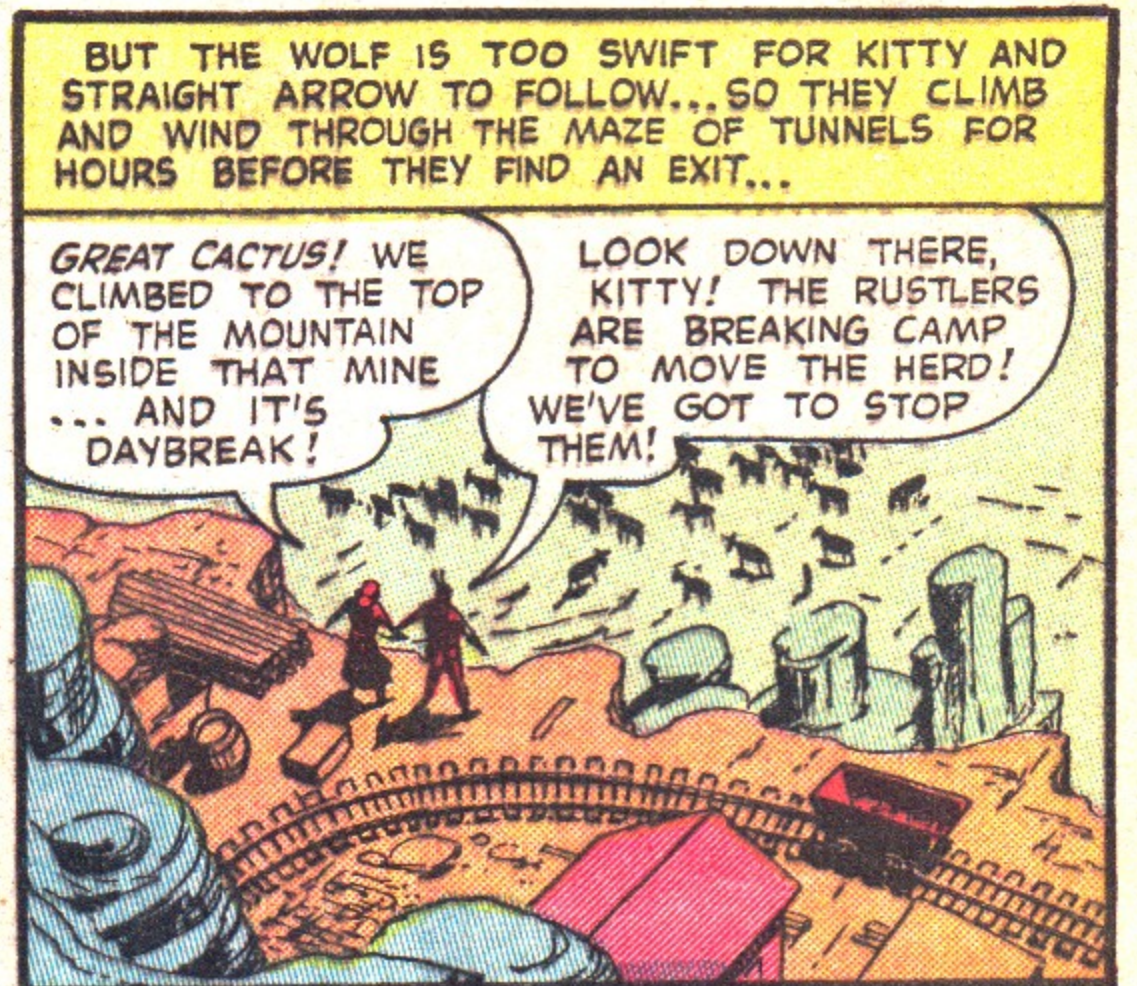
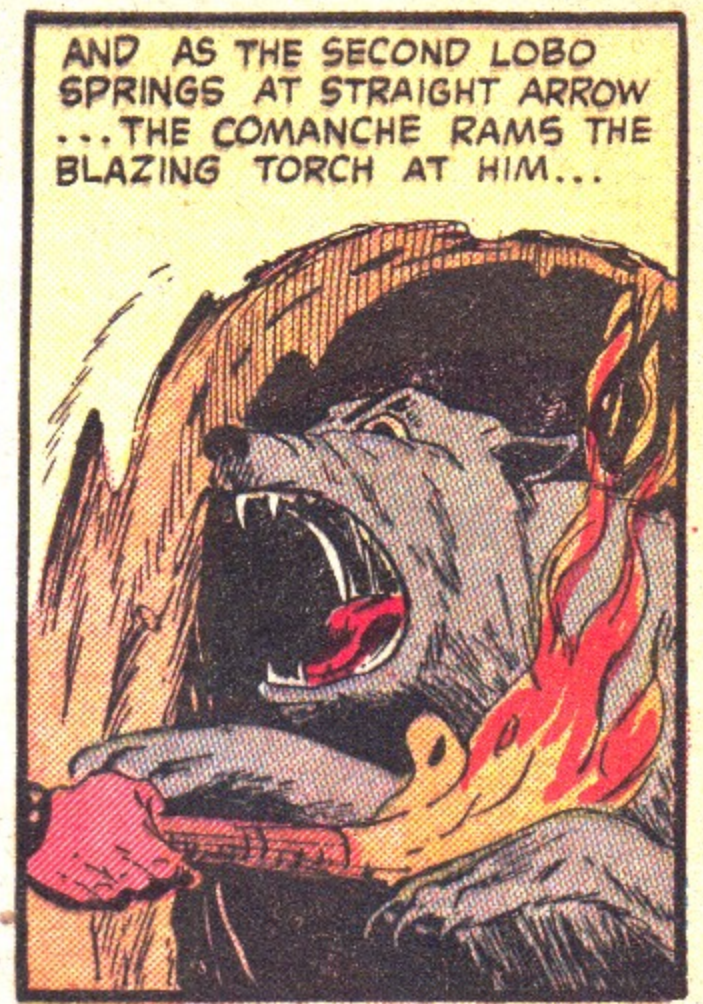








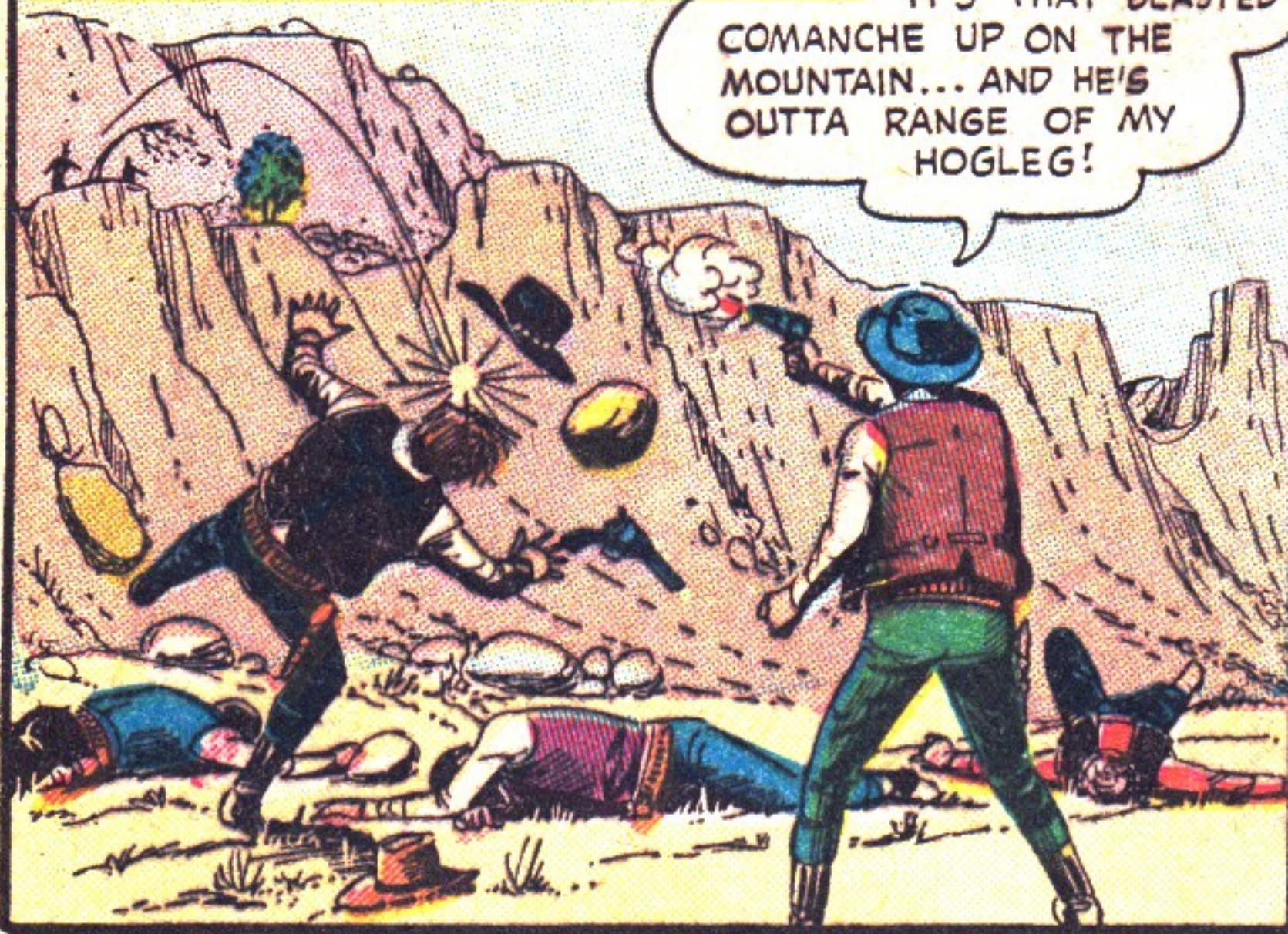






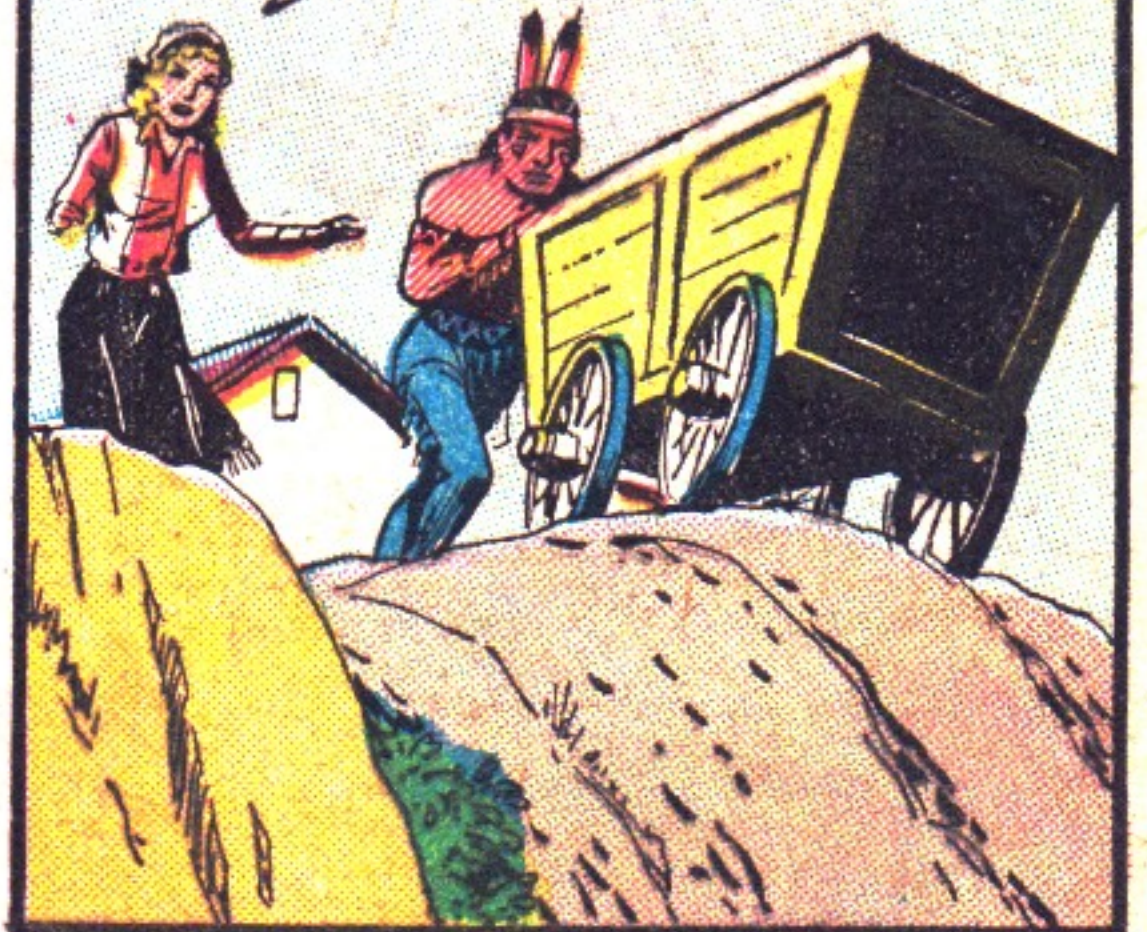
STRAIGHT ARROW LOADS AND FIRES THE CATAPULT OVER AND OVER AGAIN...AND SENDS A STORM OF STONES RAINING DOWN ON THE SURPRISED RUSTLERS...

IT'S THAT BLASTED COMANCHE UP ON THE MOUNTAIN... AND HE'S OUTTA RANGE OF MY HOGLEG!

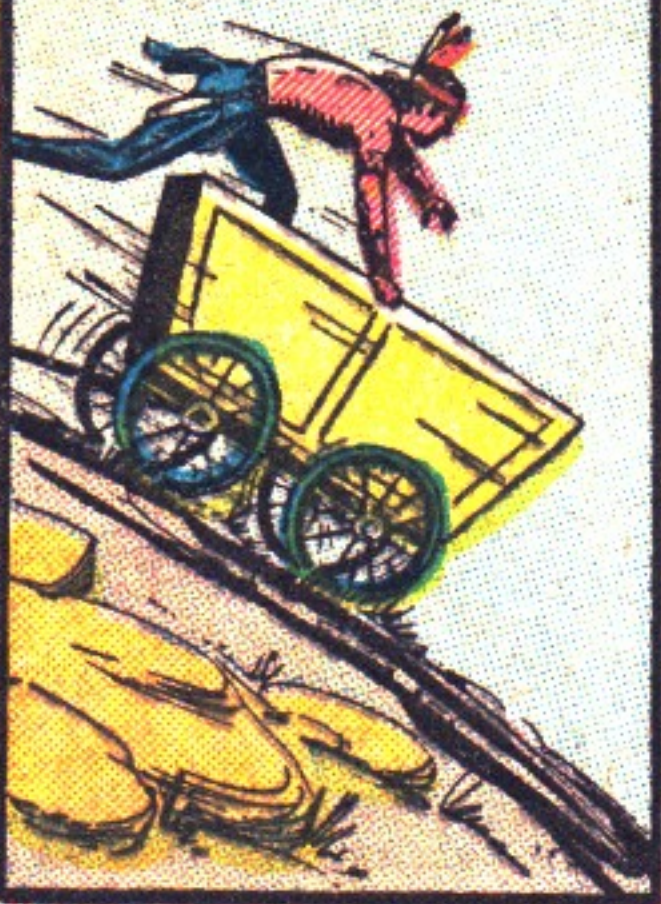


BUCK'S THE ONLY ONE LEFT, STRAIGHT ARROW... AND HE'S GETTING AWAY WITH THE HERD. YOU'LL NEVER GET HIM WITHOUT A HORSE!

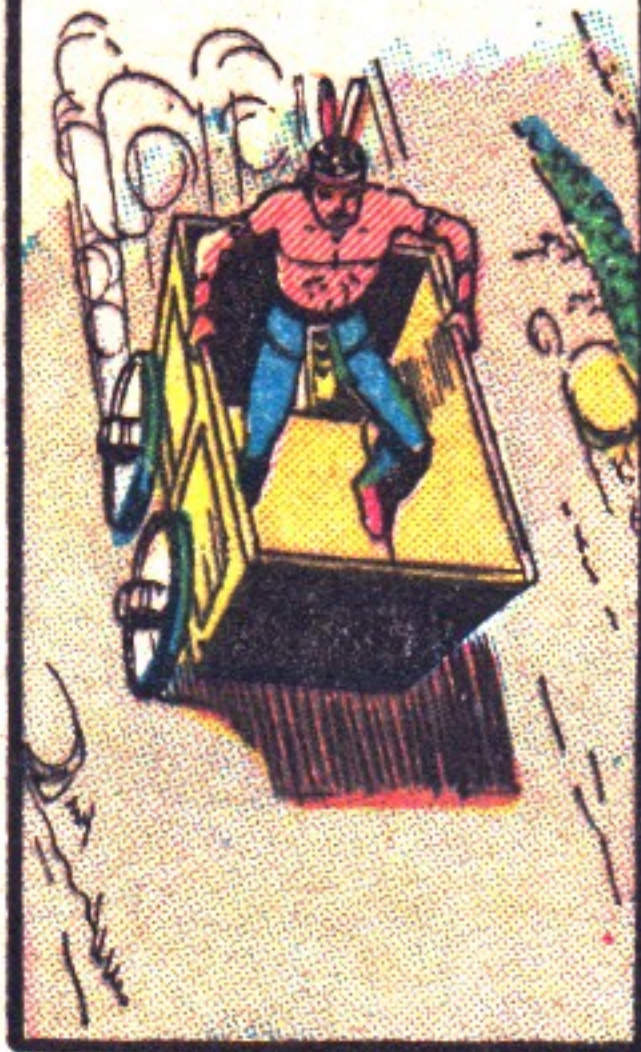
I HAVE THIS... AN IRON MULE FROM THE ABANDONED MINE.



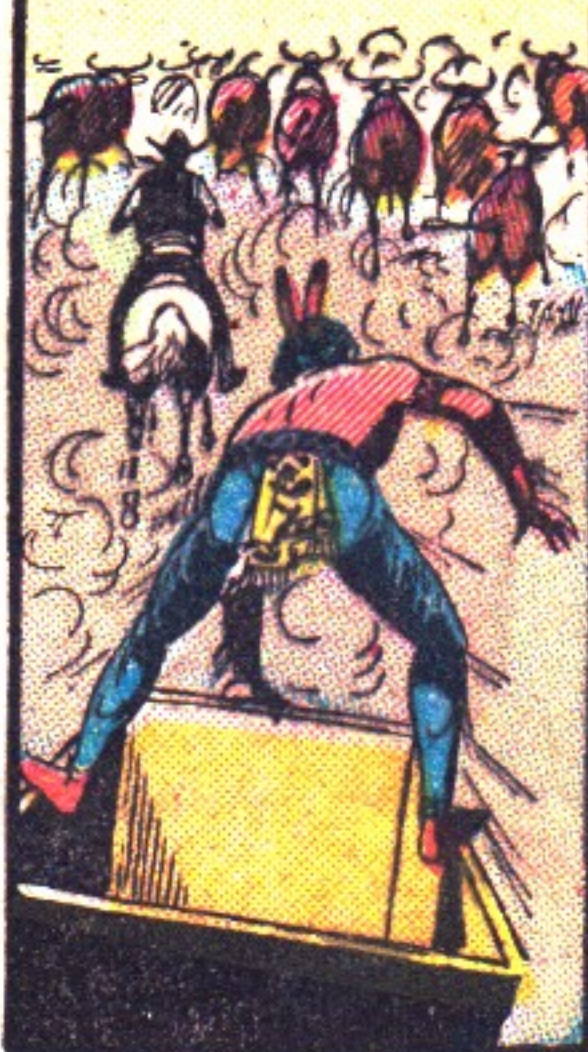
STRAIGHT ARROW AIMS THE ORE CAR AT BUCK IN THE VALLEY BELOW AND THEN GIVES IT A SHOVE AND HOPS IN...



THE RUSTY WAGON SPEEDS DOWN THE STEEP GRADE LIKE A RUNAWAY BOXCAR...

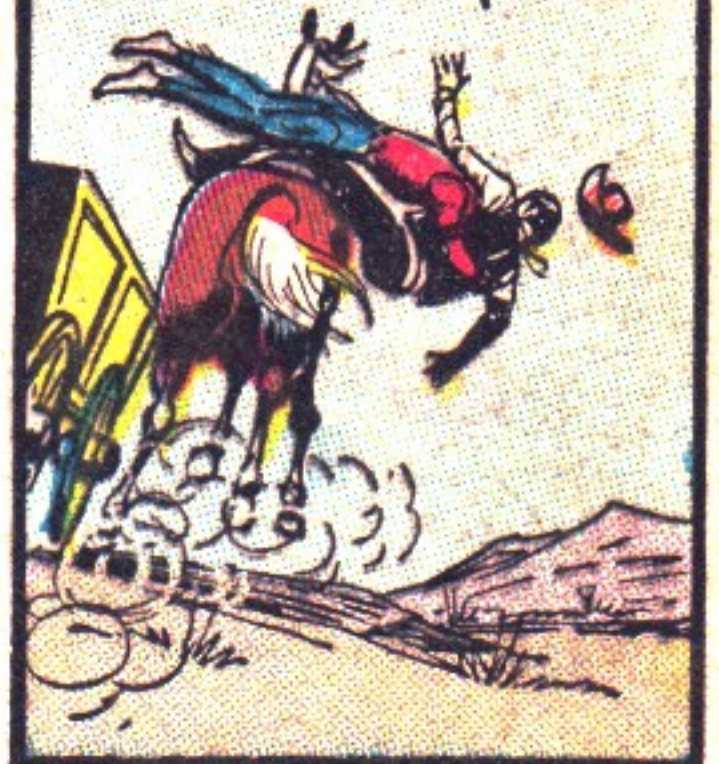


AND WHEN IT REACHES THE VALLEY, MOMENTUM KEEPS IT ROLLING AFTER BUCK...



UNTIL STRAIGHT ARROW NAILS THE FLEEING RUSTLER...

HEY! WHAT THE...?



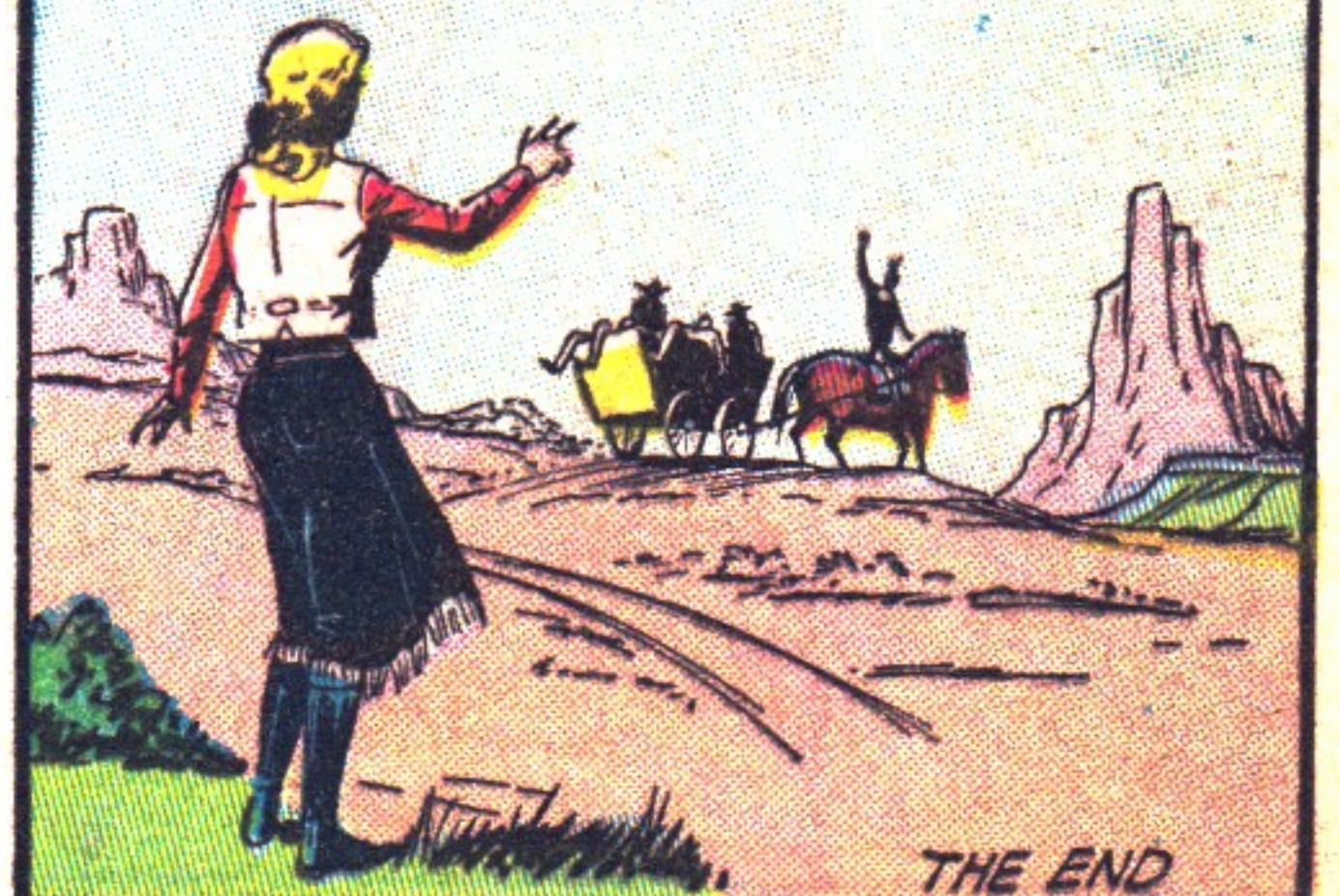
BY THE TIME KITTY GETS DOWN, STRAIGHT ARROW HAS THE GANG TIED UP AND READY FOR DELIVERY TO THE SHERIFF...

I DIDN'T KNOW STRAIGHT ARROW UNTIL YESTERDAY... BUT NOW I SHALL NEVER FORGET HIM! THE WEST WILL SOME DAY BE A PEACEFUL PLACE FOR ALL TO LIVE IN... THANKS TO BRAVE MEN LIKE YOU.

AND TO WOMEN OF COURAGE... SUCH AS YOU, KITTY!



AND THOUGH THERE ARE TEARS IN KITTY'S EYES AS SHE WATCHES THE COMANCHE CHIEF RIDE AWAY INTO THE FLAMING SUNRISE... THERE'S A SMILE OF HOPE IN HER HEART, FOR SHE KNOWS THAT IF SHE EVER NEEDS A FRIEND... SHE CAN ALWAYS DEPEND ON... **STRAIGHT ARROW!**



THE END



# STRAIGHT ARROW



THE LOVE OF  
BENT BOW FOR  
SMALL WILLOW,  
THE UNDERSTANDING  
AND KINDNESS OF  
SMALL WILLOW FOR  
BENT BOW, THE  
MASQUERADING OF  
LITTLE BEAR, THE  
HECTORING BY WART  
NOSE BY EVERYBODY—  
—AND SOMEHOW, THE  
COURAGE OF  
**STRAIGHT ARROW**  
— ALL FIGURE IN

## THE SAGA OF BENT BOW AND STRAIGHT ARROW

BENT BOW, A YOUNG INDIAN BRAVE, DID NOT LIKE TO SEE SMALL WILLOW, WHOM HE LOVED, WORK HARD. AND ONE DAY, ALTHOUGH HE WAS SHY AND WITHOUT CONFIDENCE...

YOU MUST LET ME CARRY THE WATER. IT'S TOO HEAVY FOR YOU.



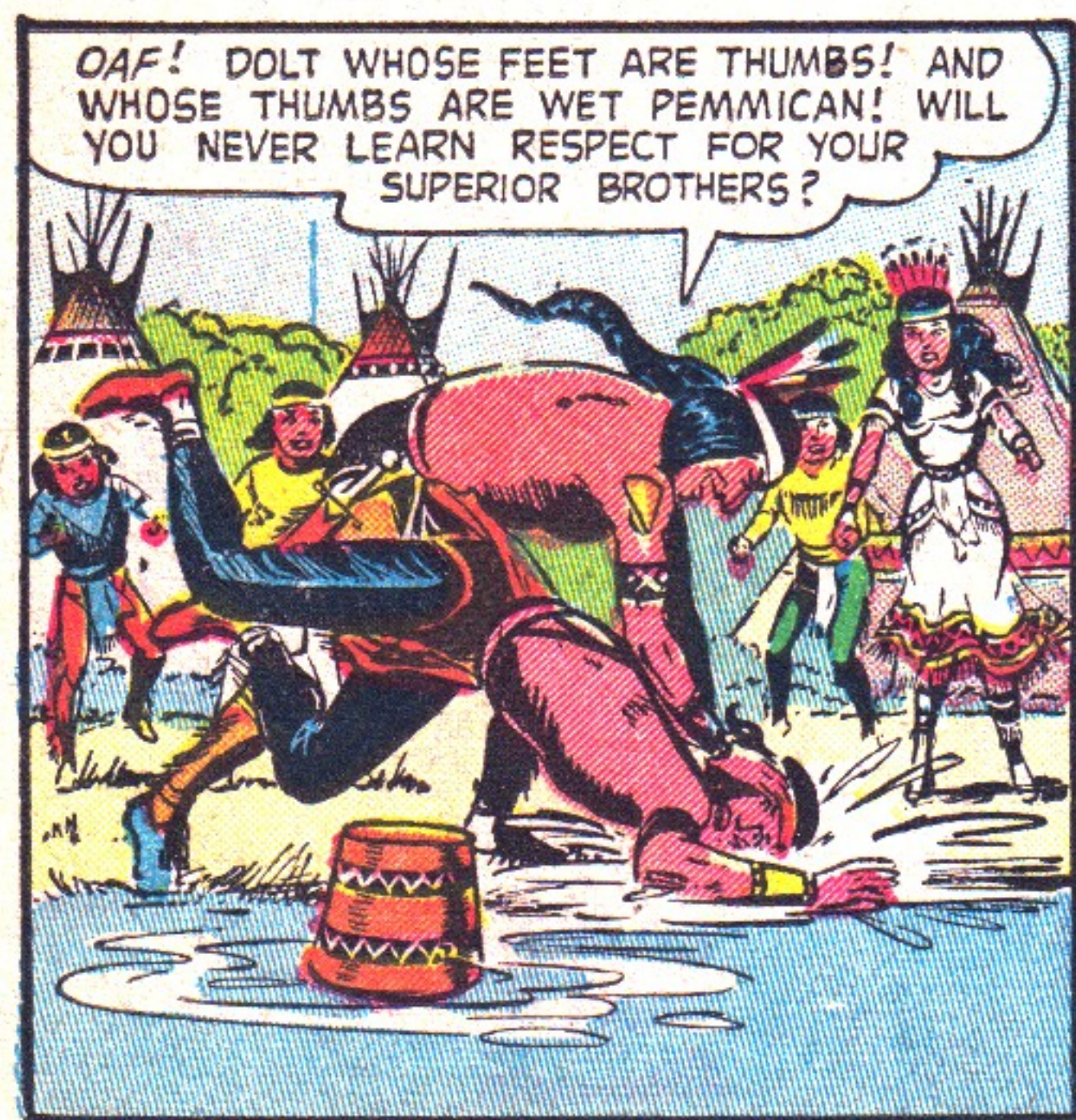
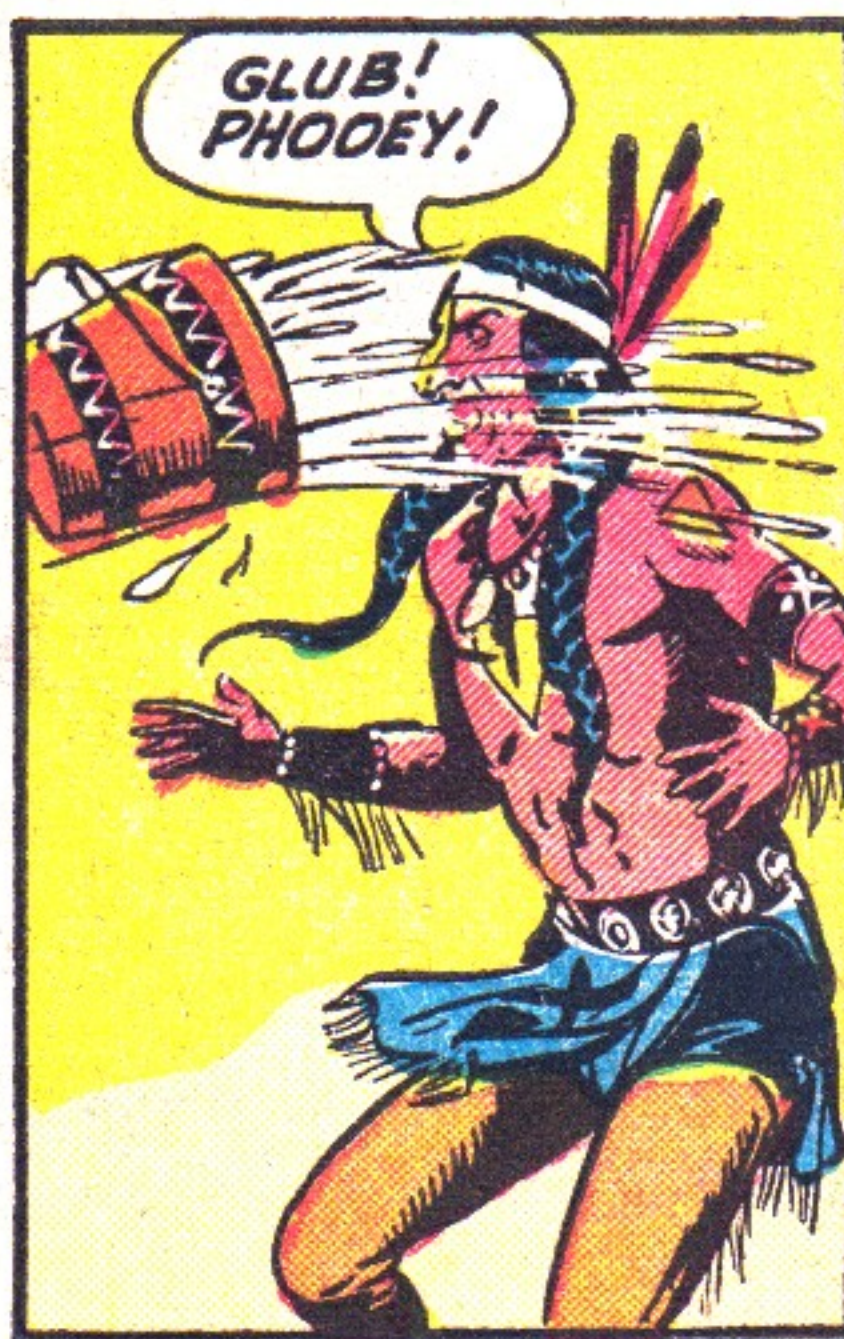
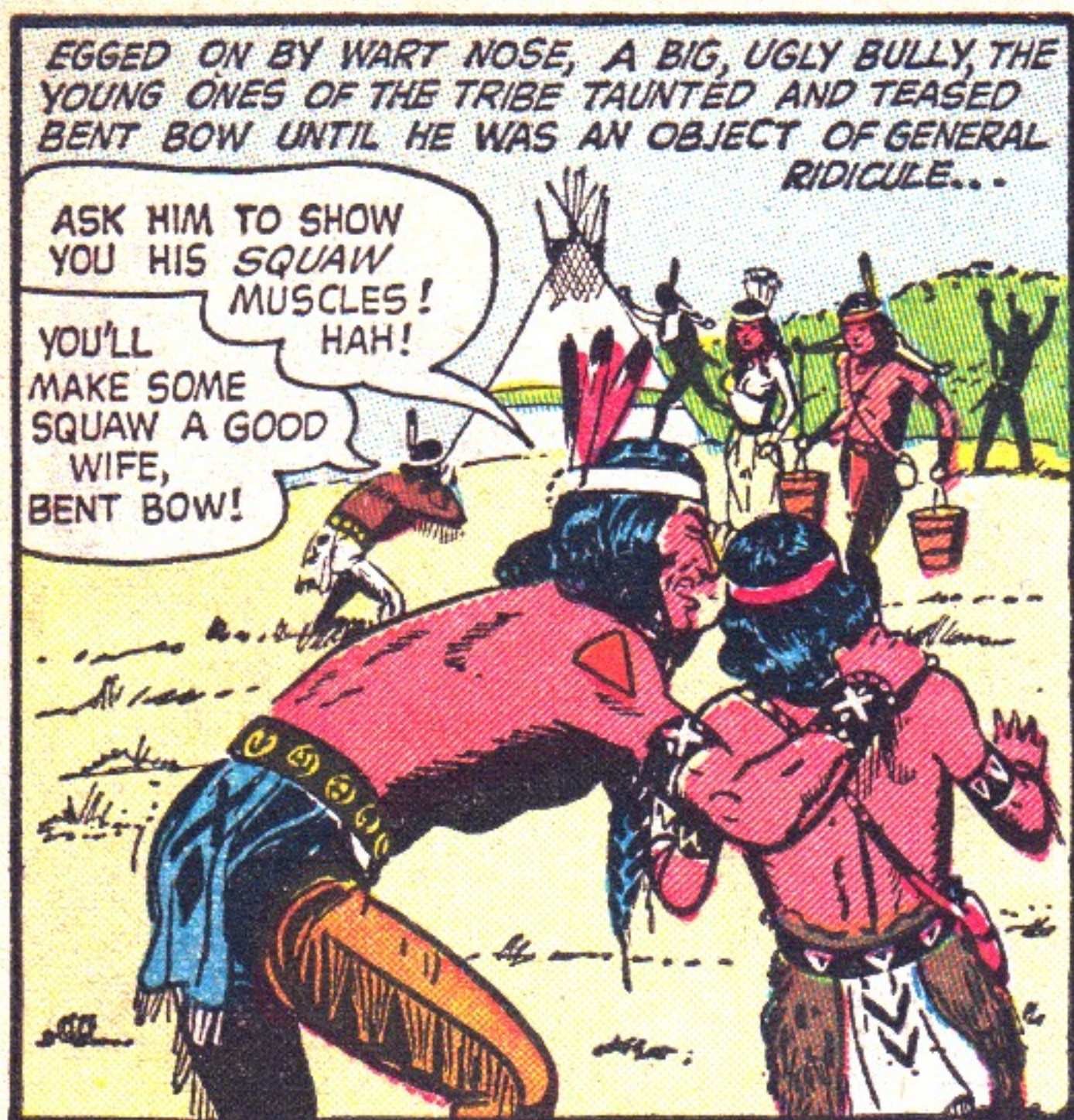
THE YOUNG ONES OF THE TRIBE RIDICULED BENT BOW FOR BEING IN LOVE WITH SMALL WILLOW AND DOING HER SQUAW'S WORK...

BENT BOW! ARE YOU TAKING IN WASHING TOO?

MY SISTER HAS SOME SEWING FOR YOU, BENT BOW!







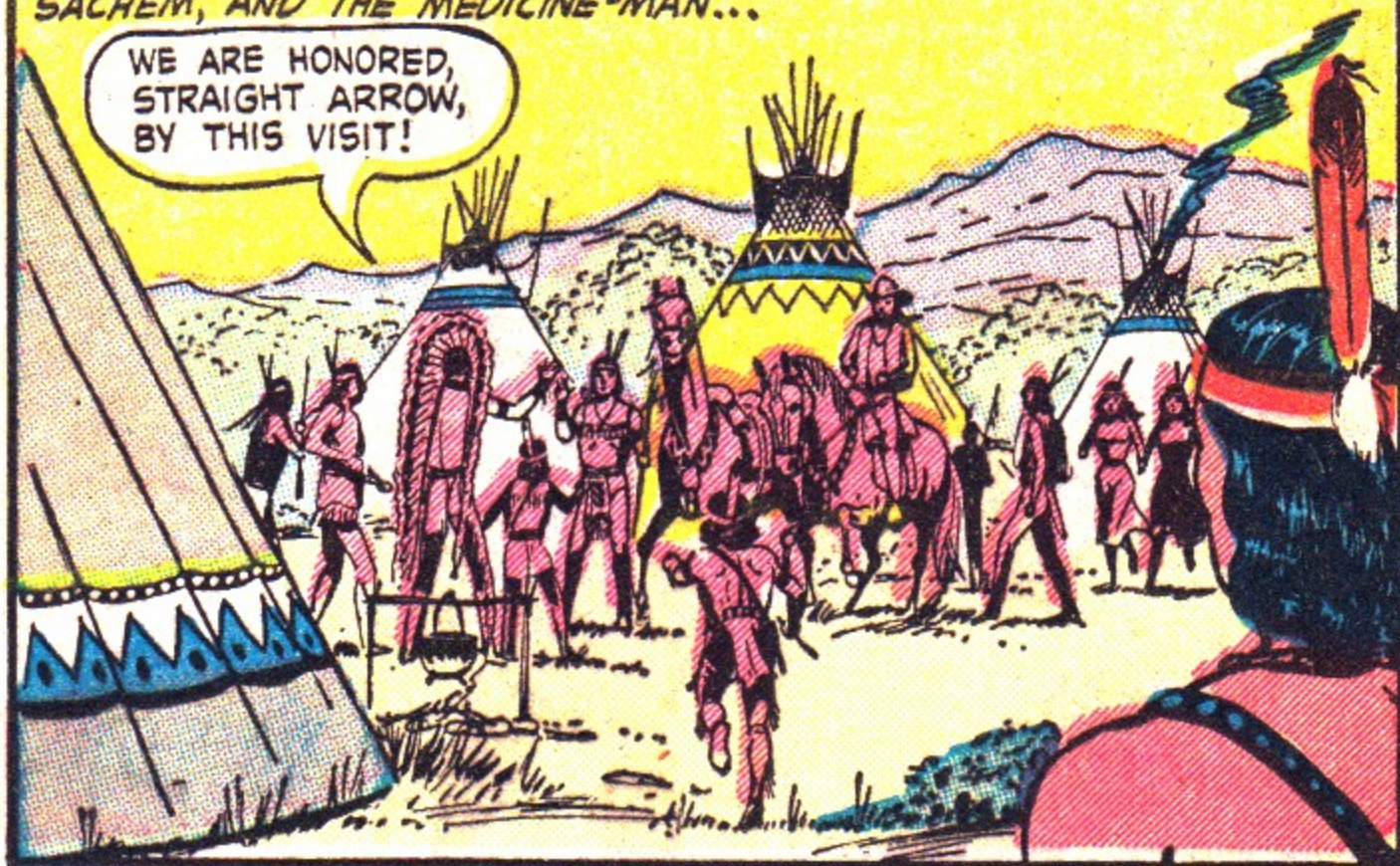


BROODING AND DISHEARTENED,  
BENT BOW LICKED THE WOUNDS  
IF ONLY I HAD  
CONFIDENCE IN MY-  
SELF, I'D SHOW THAT  
WART NOSE. IF ONLY I  
WERE BRAVE...



THEN ONE DAY, STRAIGHT ARROW AND PACKY McCLOUD PASSED  
THROUGH THIS INDIAN VILLAGE... BENT BOW WATCHED THE RESPECT  
WITH WHICH STRAIGHT ARROW WAS GREETED BY THE TRIBE, THE  
SACHEM, AND THE MEDICINE-MAN...

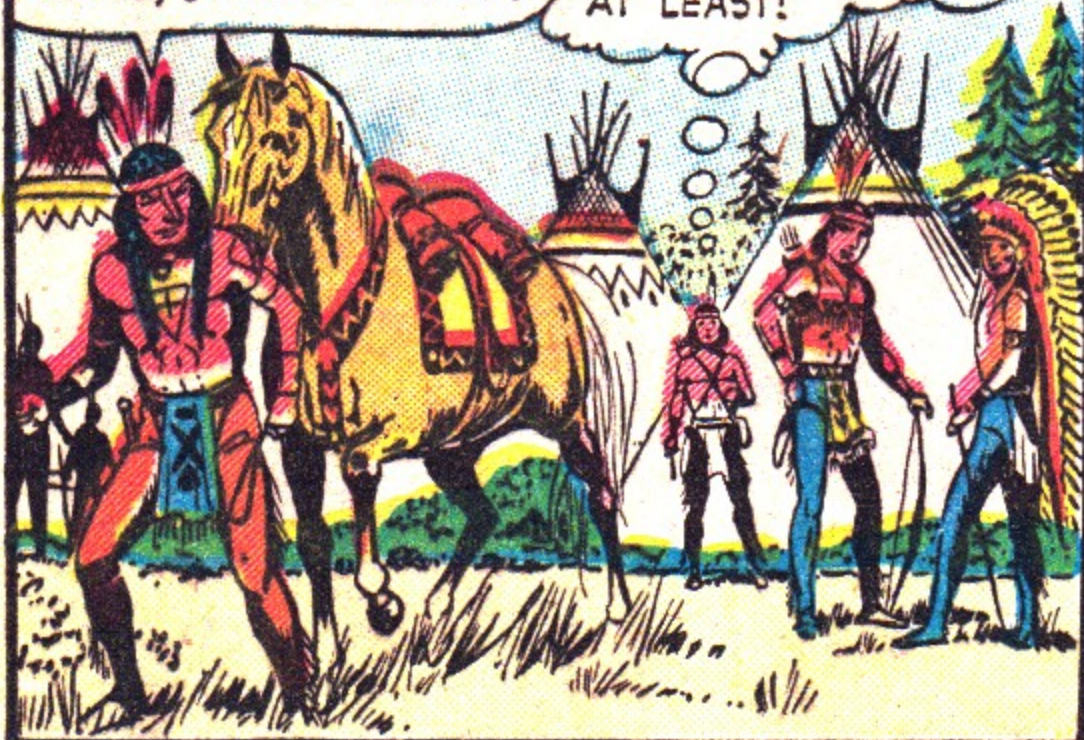
WE ARE HONORED,  
STRAIGHT ARROW,  
BY THIS VISIT!



EVEN THE OBSTREPEROUS WART NOSE WAS RESPECTFUL.

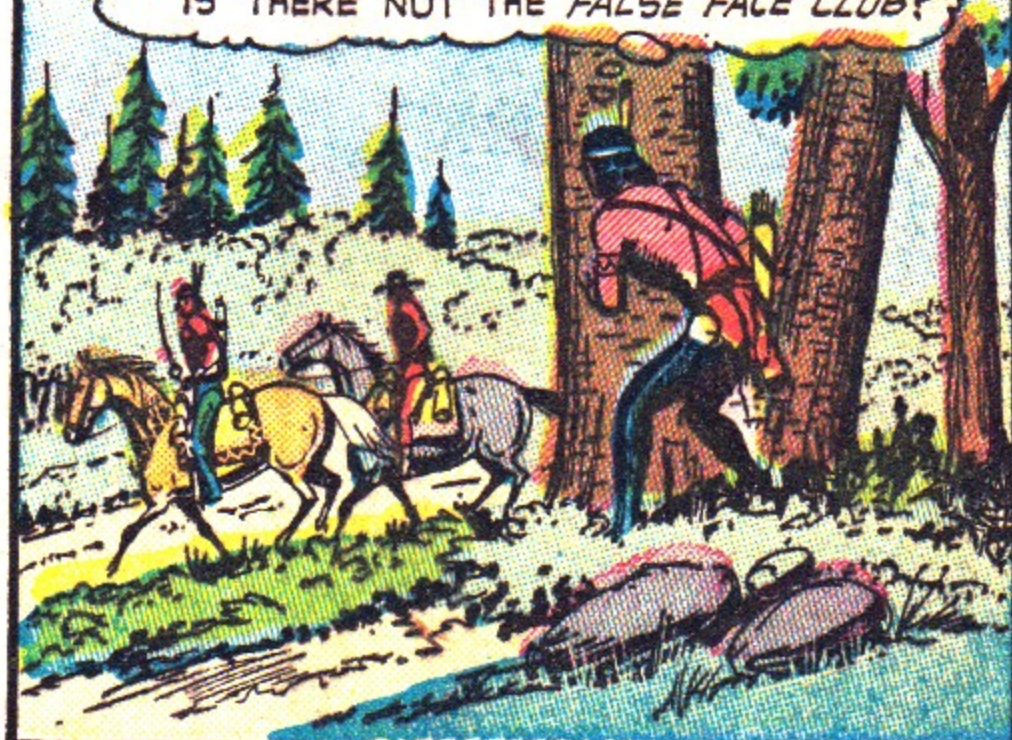
I WILL WATER YOUR  
HORSE, STRAIGHT ARROW!

I WISH I WERE STRAIGHT  
ARROW—OR LIKE HIM  
AT LEAST!



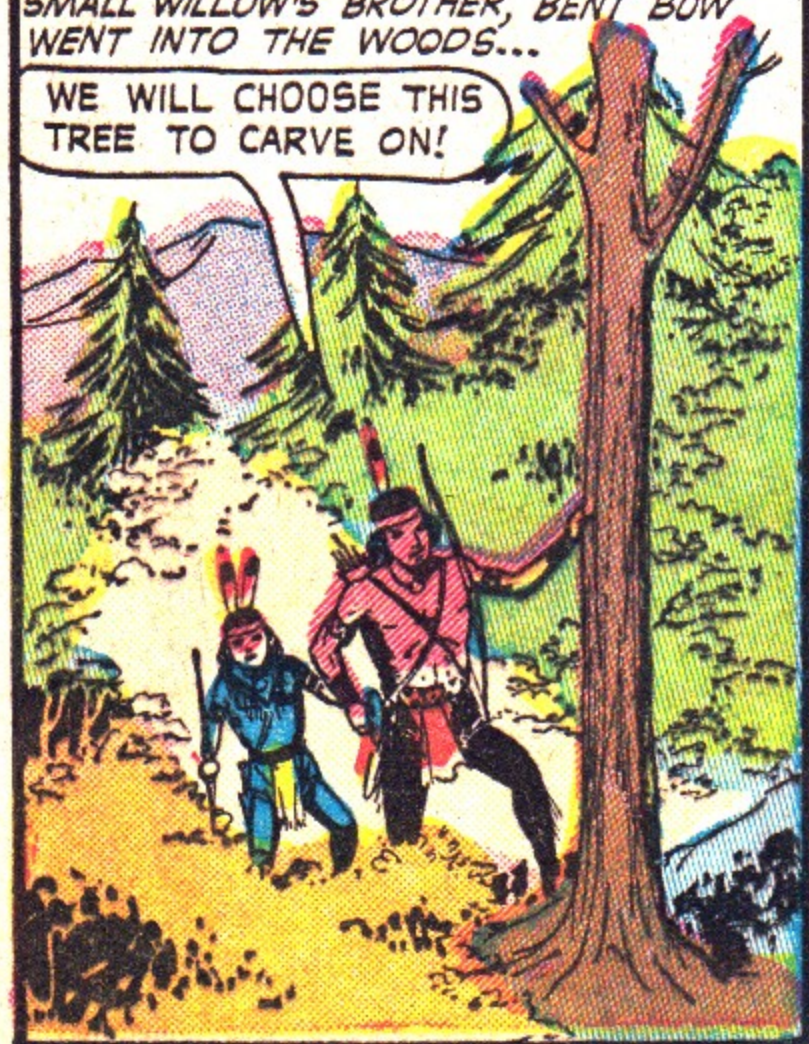
AND LATER, WHEN STRAIGHT ARROW AND PACKY  
CONTINUED ON THEIR JOURNEY...

I CAN BE  
LIKE STRAIGHT ARROW! AFTER ALL—  
IS THERE NOT THE FALSE FACE CLUB?



ENLISTING THE AID OF LITTLE BEAR,  
SMALL WILLOW'S BROTHER, BENT BOW  
WENT INTO THE WOODS...

WE WILL CHOOSE THIS  
TREE TO CARVE ON!



TOGETHER BENT BOW  
AND LITTLE BEAR  
CARVED THE FACE OF  
STRAIGHT ARROW INTO  
THE LIVING BASSWOOD  
TREE...



TREE, I WOULD TELL YOU OF THE KIND  
OF LUCK I HOPE THIS FALSE FACE  
BRINGS ME. LET STRAIGHT ARROW'S  
VISAGE BRING ME STRENGTH AND  
COURAGE SO THAT I CAN BEST  
WART NOSE AND WIN THE HAND  
OF SMALL WILLOW.





THE CARVING COMPLETED, BENT BOW AND LITTLE BEAR CUT THE TREE DOWN AND BURNED THE BOTTOM OF THE TRUNK OUT WITH A SLOW FIRE...

WE WILL SOON HAVE THE CHARRED INSIDES HACKED OUT WITH OUR KNIVES!



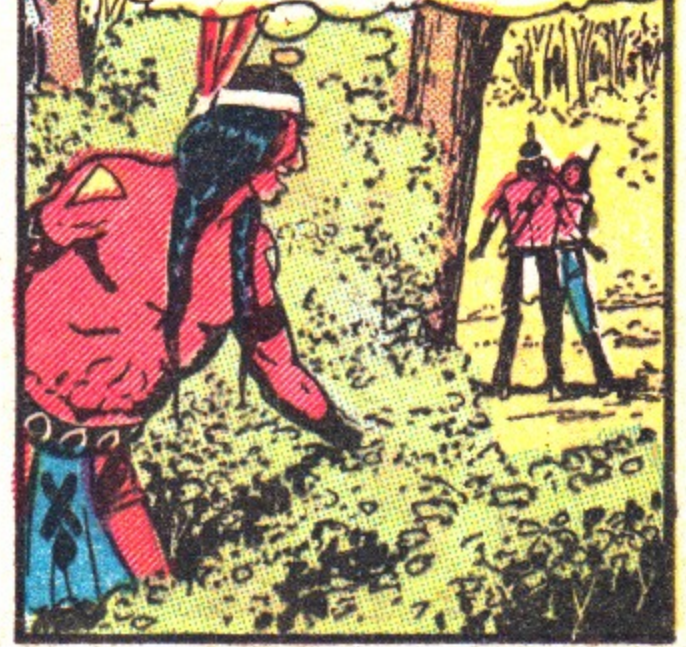
FINALLY THE STRAIGHT ARROW MASK WAS HOLLOWED OUT. WITH THE DYES FROM BERRIES AND OTHER FRUITS, THEY COLORED THE FALSE FACE, AND BENT BOW SLIPPED IT OVER HIS HEAD...

NOW I AM STRAIGHT ARROW! AND I TAKE UNTO ME THE COURAGE OF STRAIGHT ARROW!



BUT UNKNOWN TO BENT BOW AND LITTLE BEAR, THEY WERE BEING SPIED UPON...

I WILL SNEAK BACK INTO THE VILLAGE. WHEN THE TIME IS RIFE I'LL HAVE MY FUN! HAW! HAW! HE THINKS HE'S STRAIGHT ARROW! HAW!



IT WAS DECIDED BY THE YOUNG AND HOPEFUL CONSPIRATORS TO GIVE BENT BOW'S NEW PERSONALITY A HELPING HAND...

I WILL WEAR THE SKIN AND HEAD OF A BEAR I'VE SLAIN!

AND I WILL DEFEND SMALL WILLOW FROM YOUR ATTACK!



THE PLAN WAS PUT INTO EXECUTION. UNFORTUNATELY, HOWEVER, AN UNEXPECTED VISITOR TO THE ENCAMPMENT, PUT A SLIGHT HITCH IN LITTLE BEAR'S PLANS...

A REAL BEAR! WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO BENT BOW NOW?



HELP!

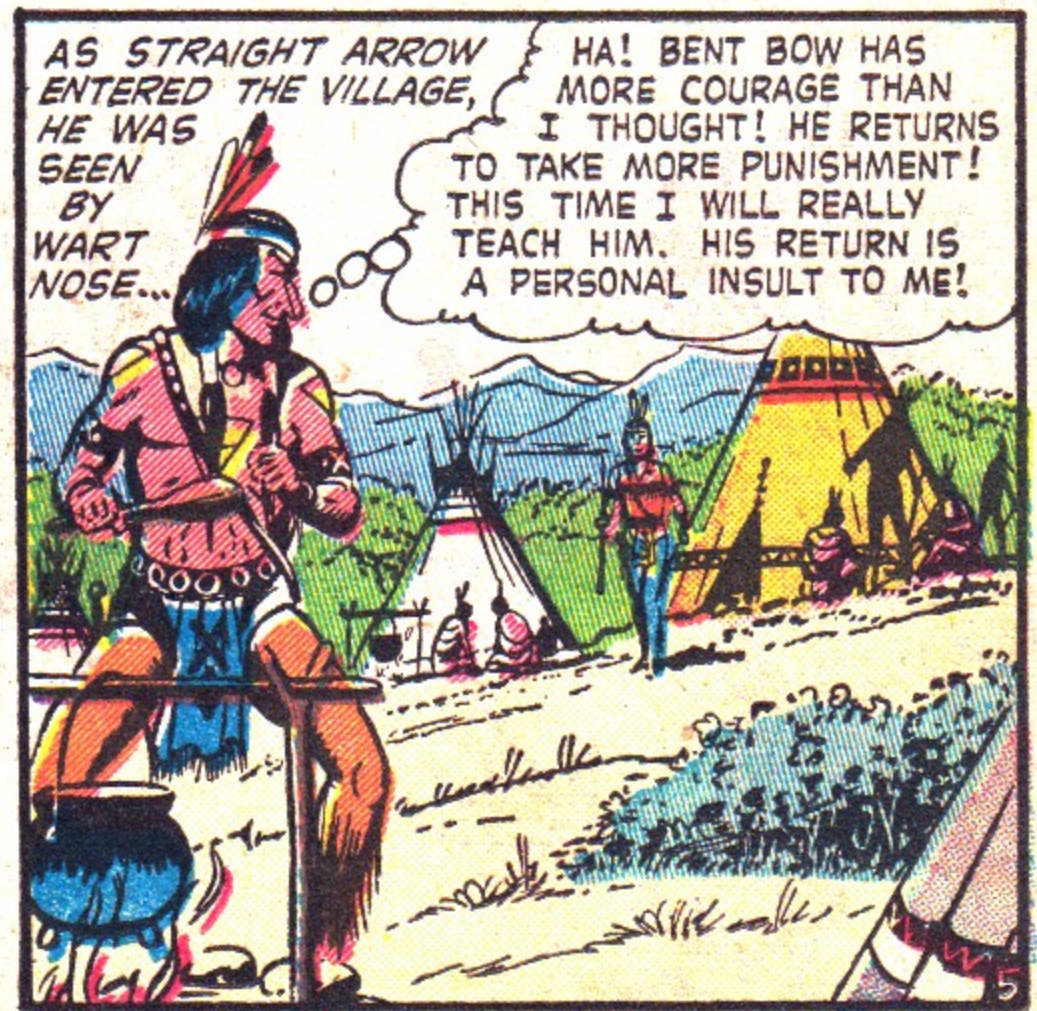
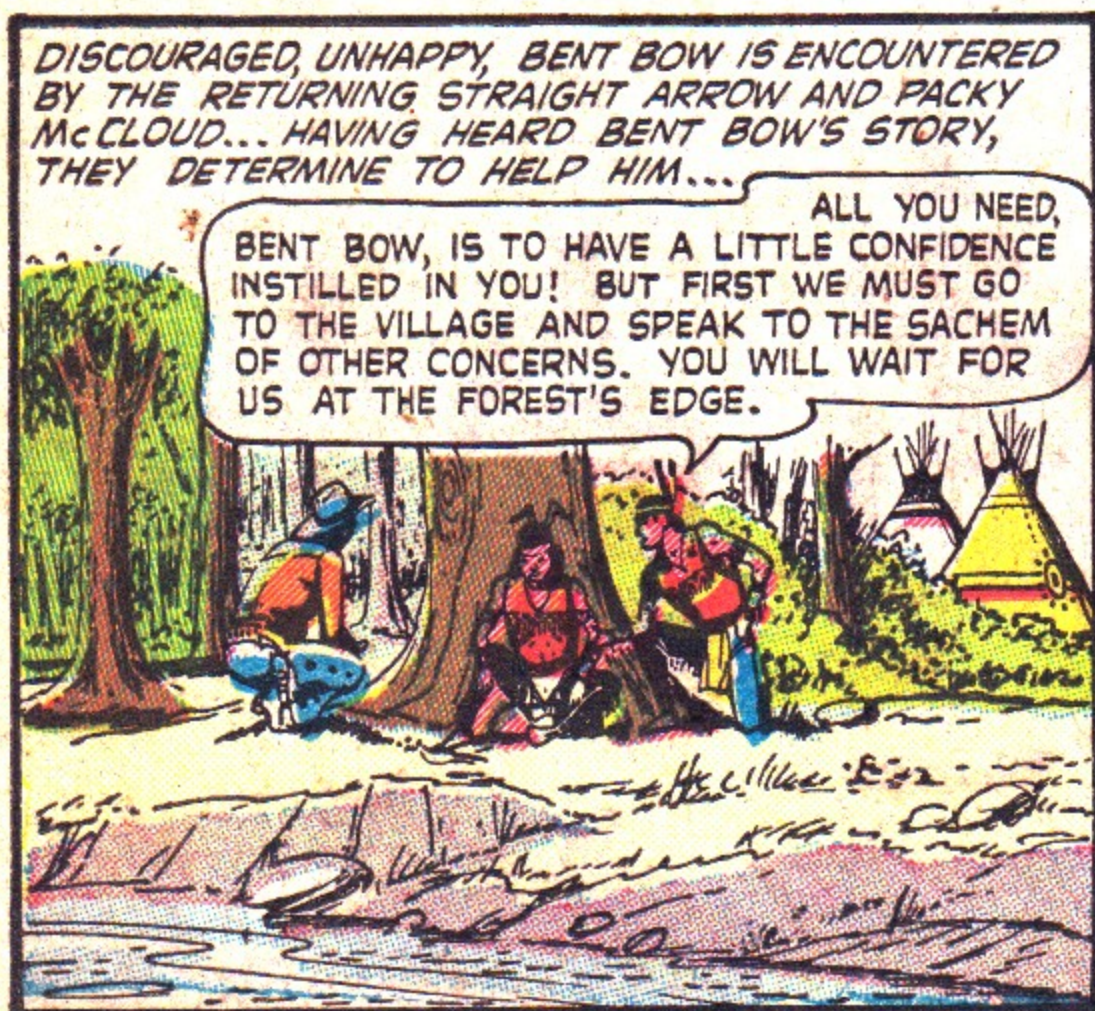
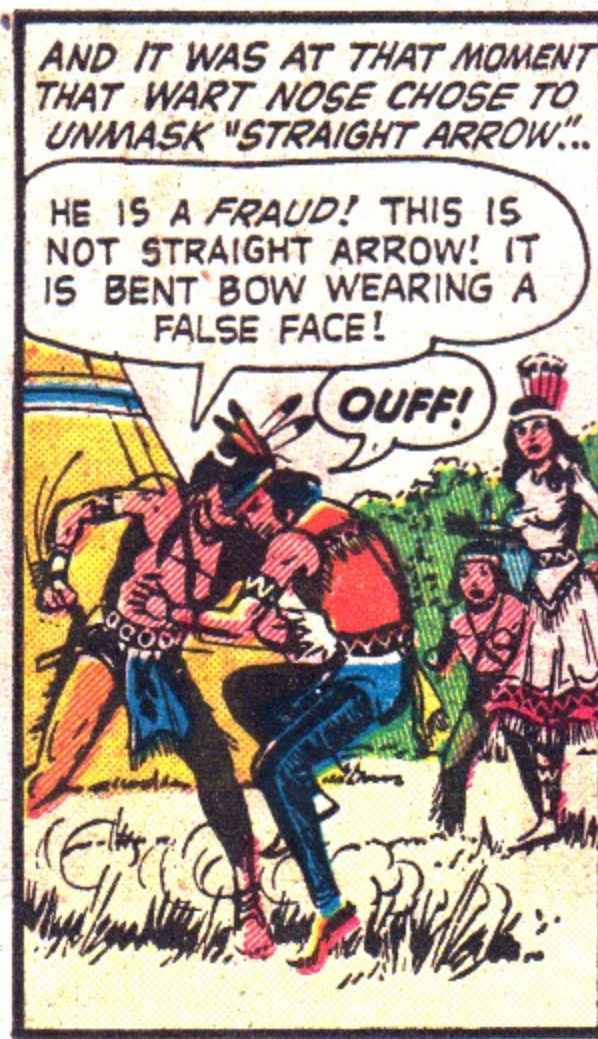
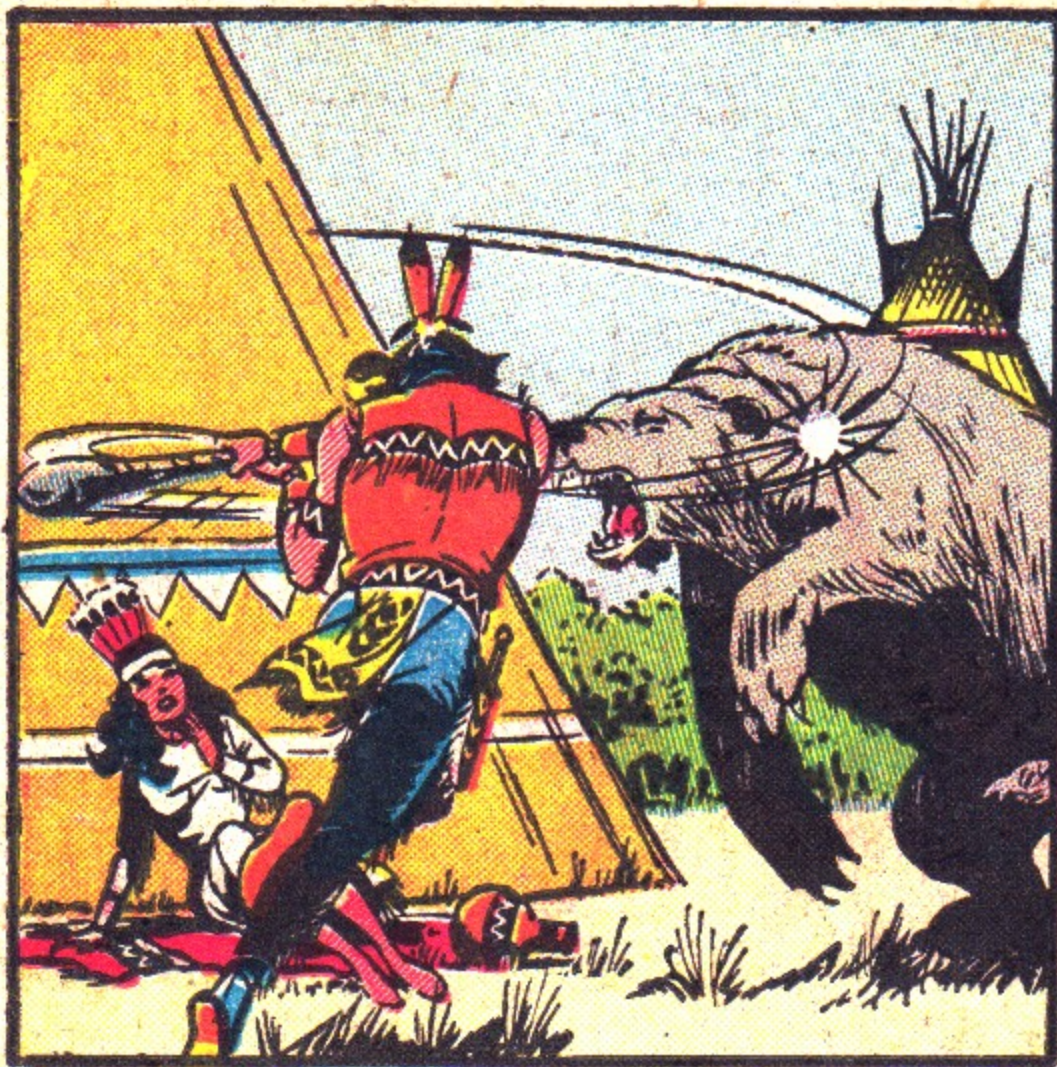
LOOK OUT, SMALL WILLOW!

I WILL PROTECT YOU, SMALL WILLOW!

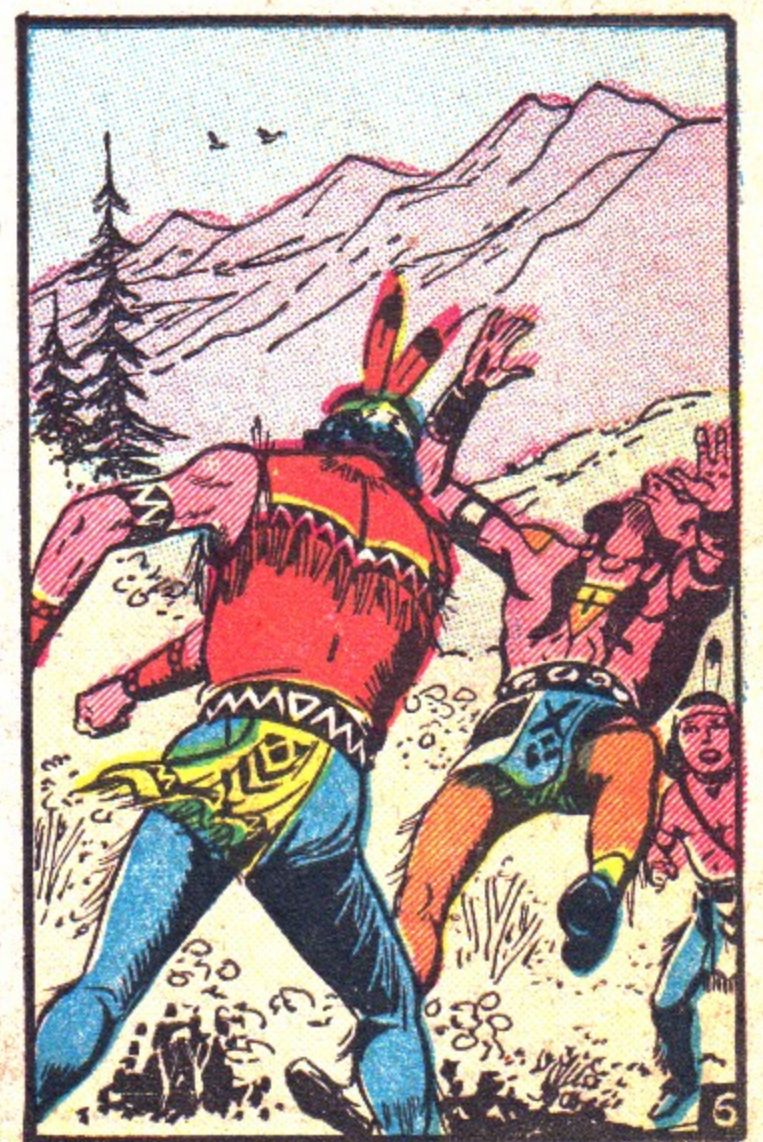
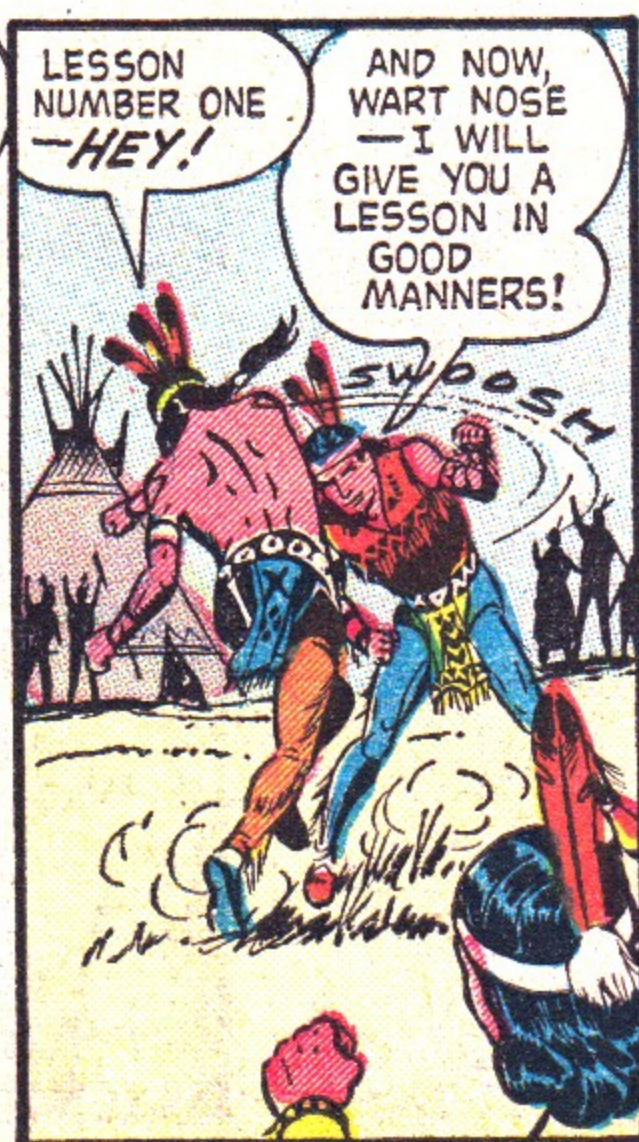
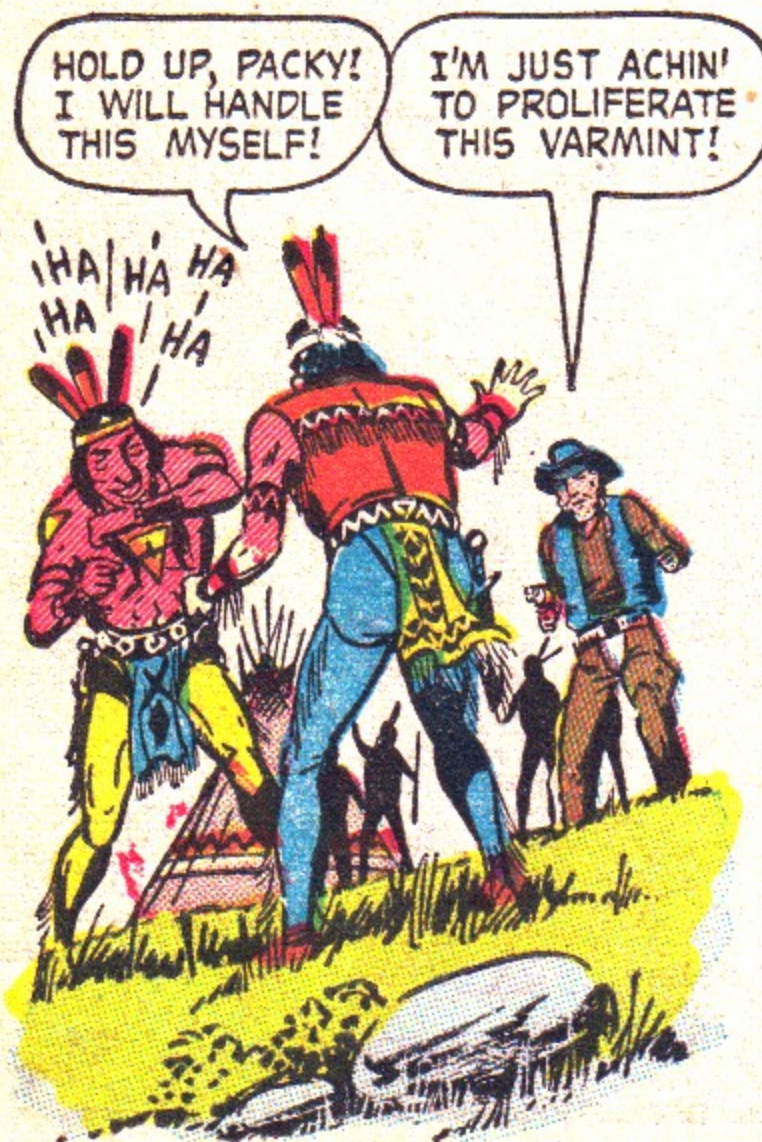
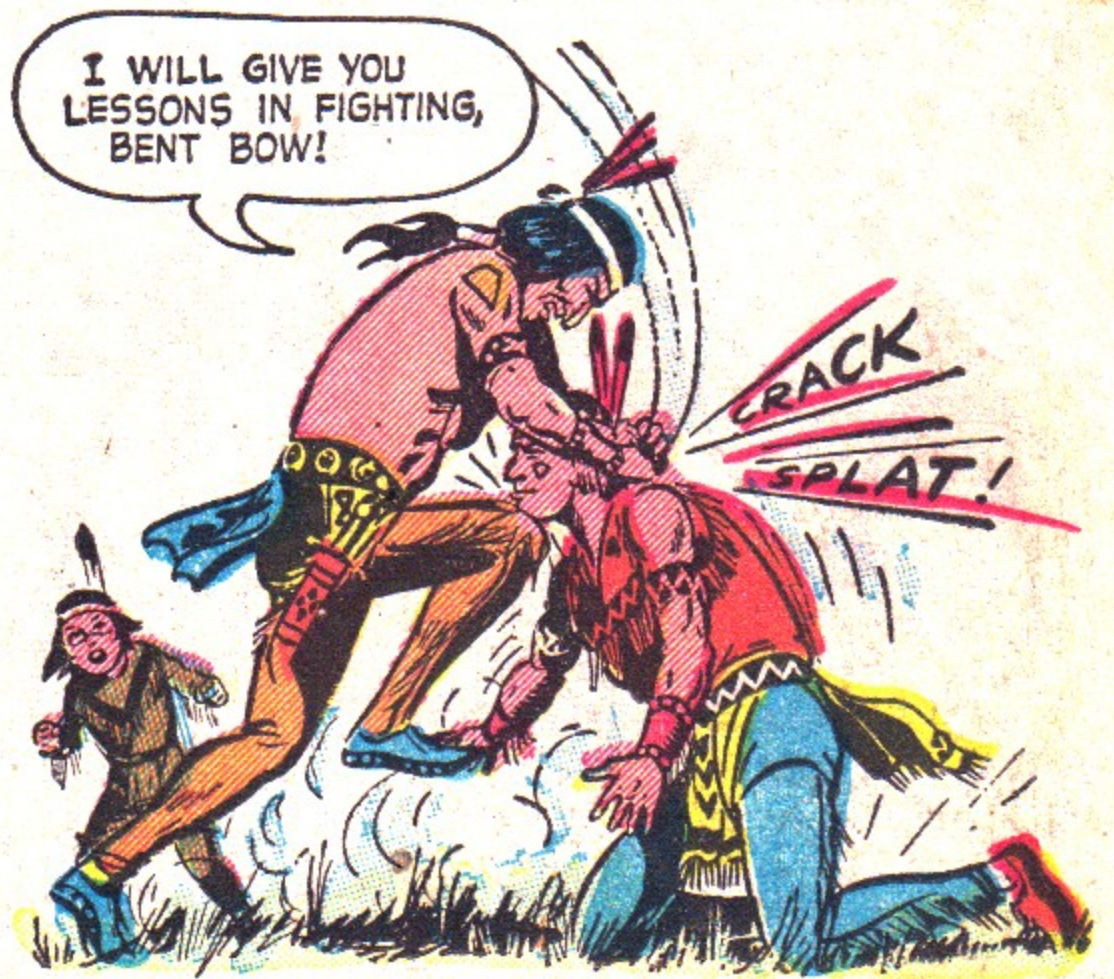
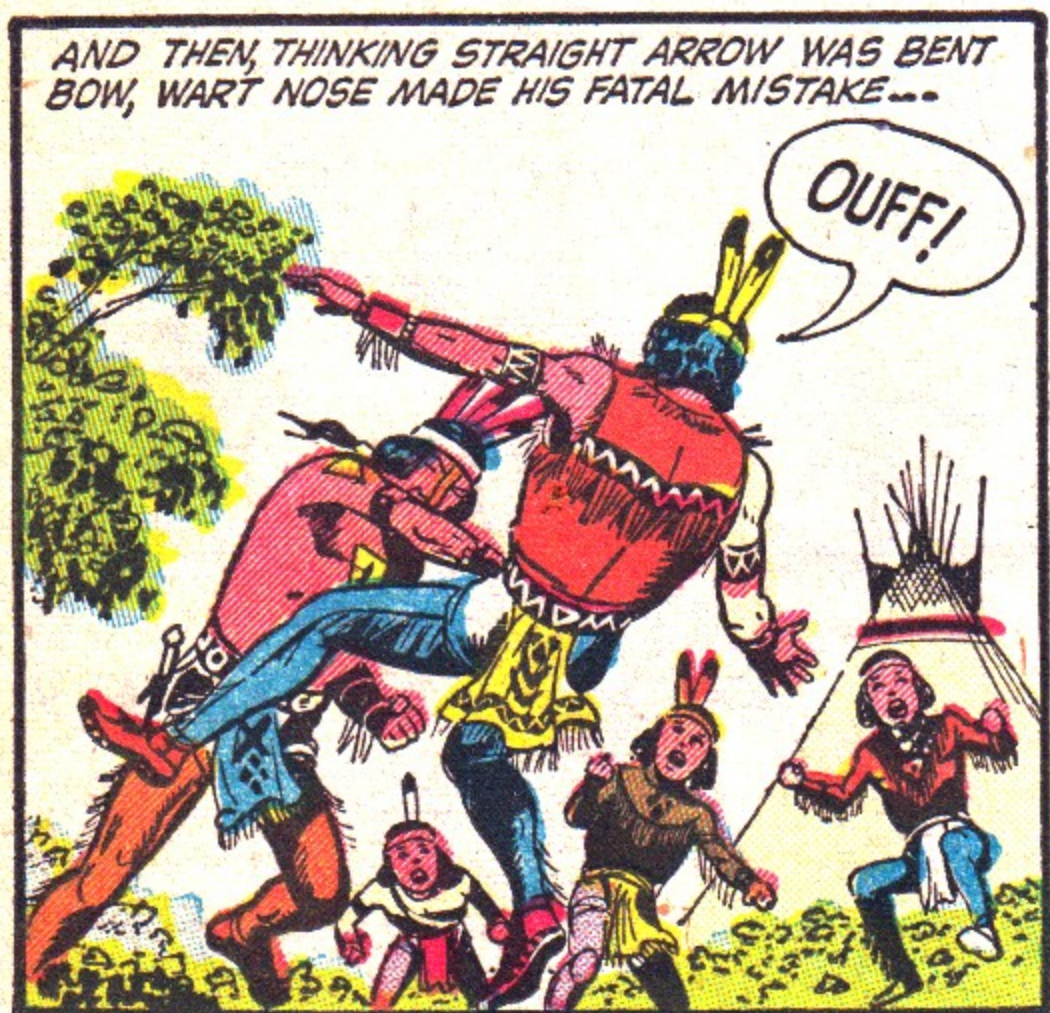
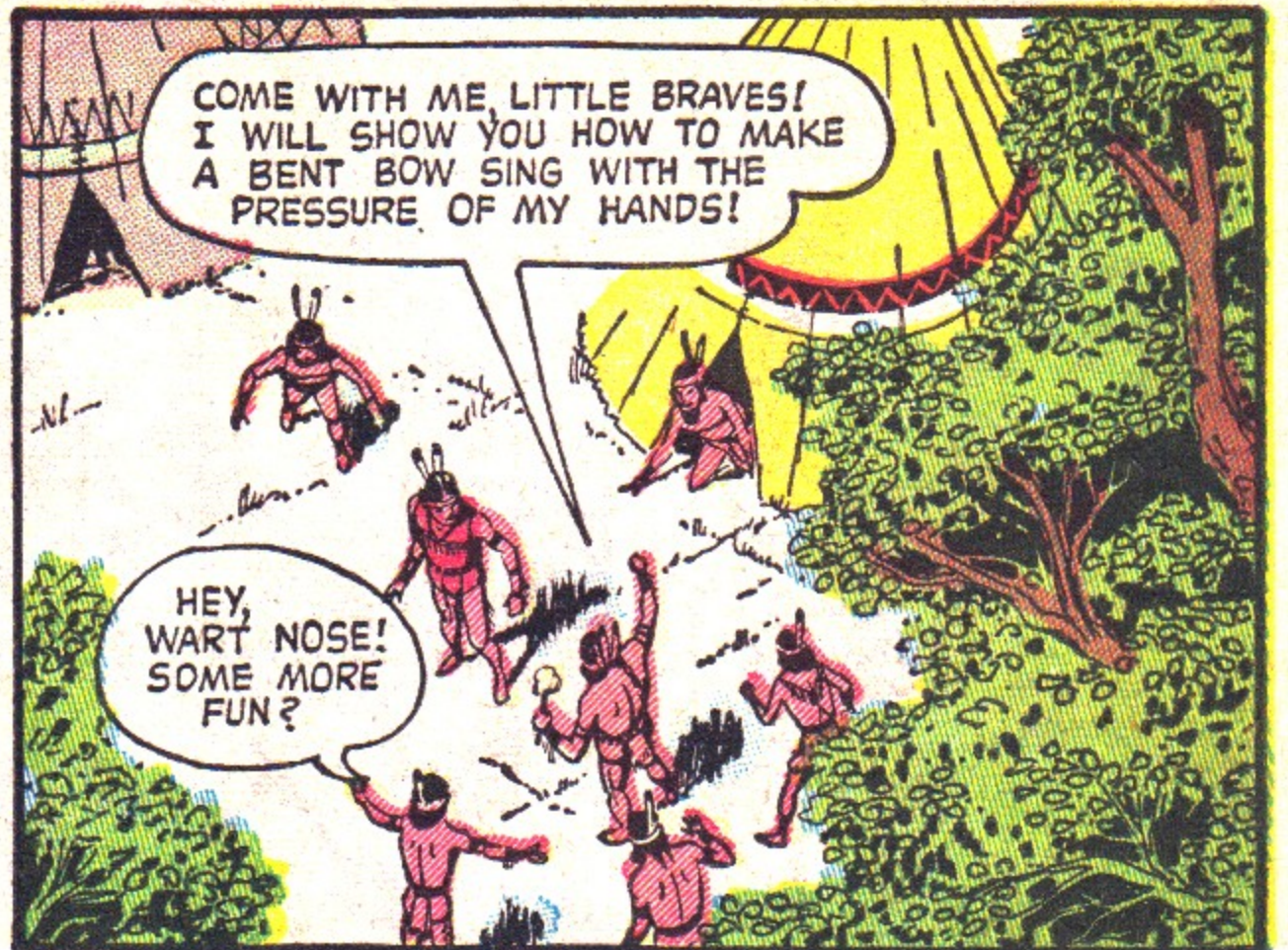
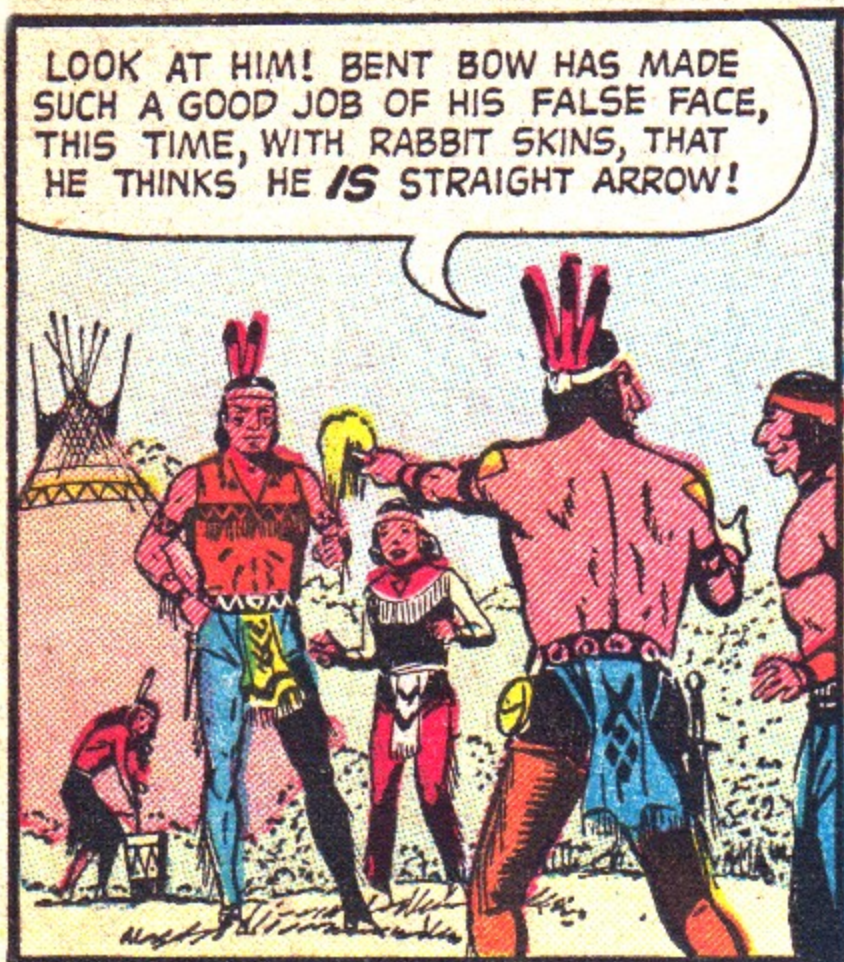
LITTLE BEAR'S DECEPTION IS WONDERFUL! IF I DIDN'T KNOW OF MY FRIEND'S DISGUISE, I WOULD THINK THIS WAS A REAL BEAR!



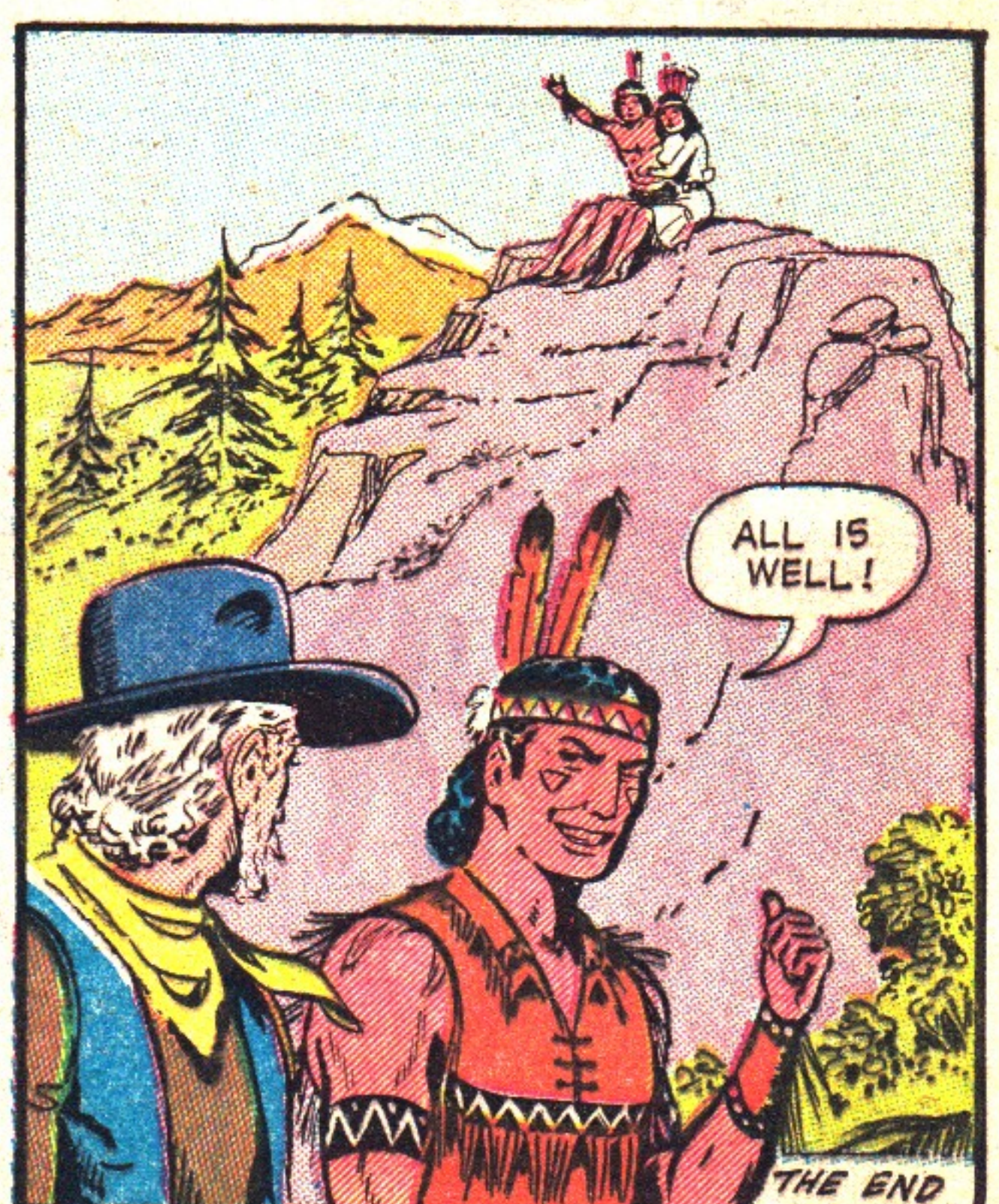
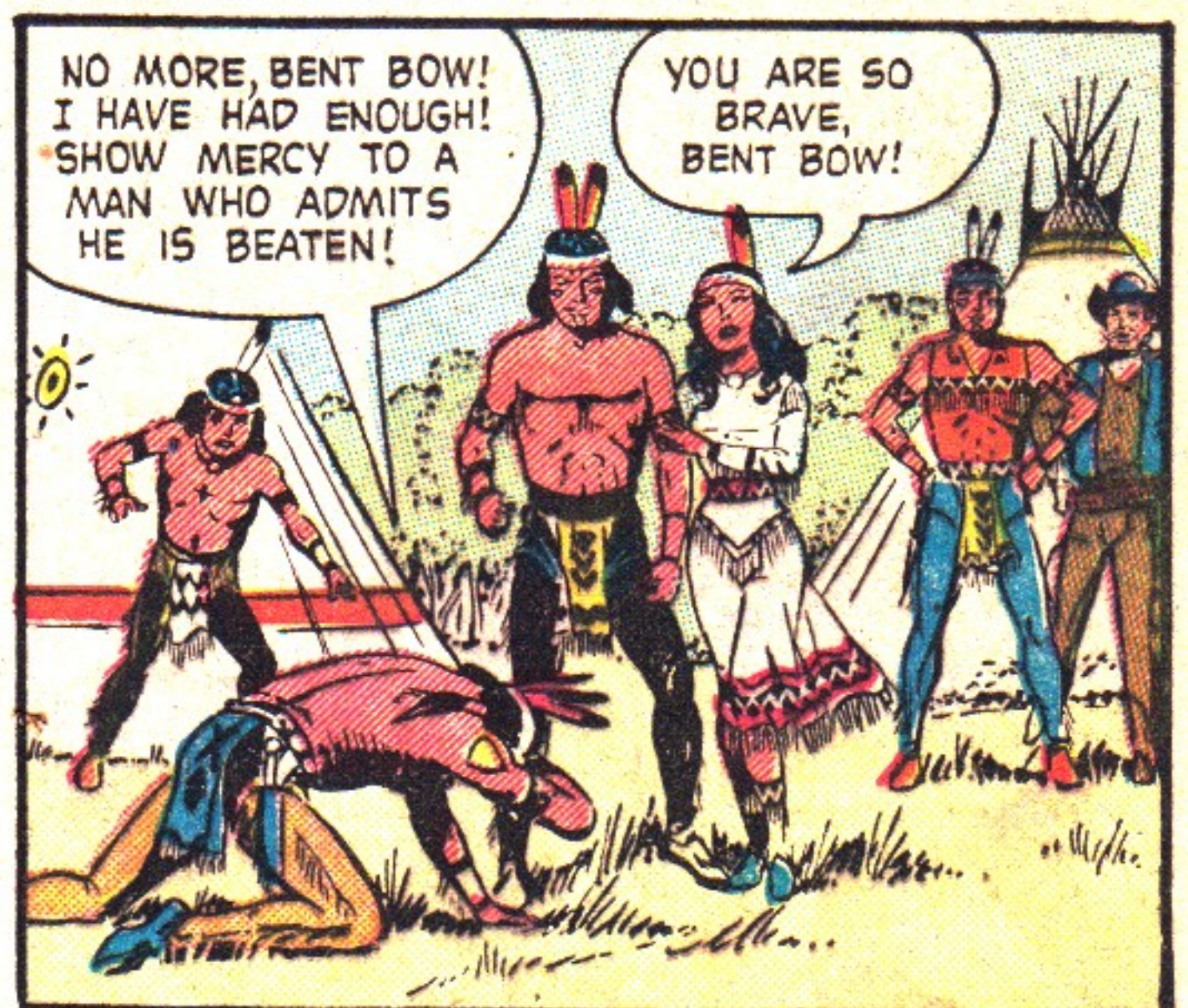
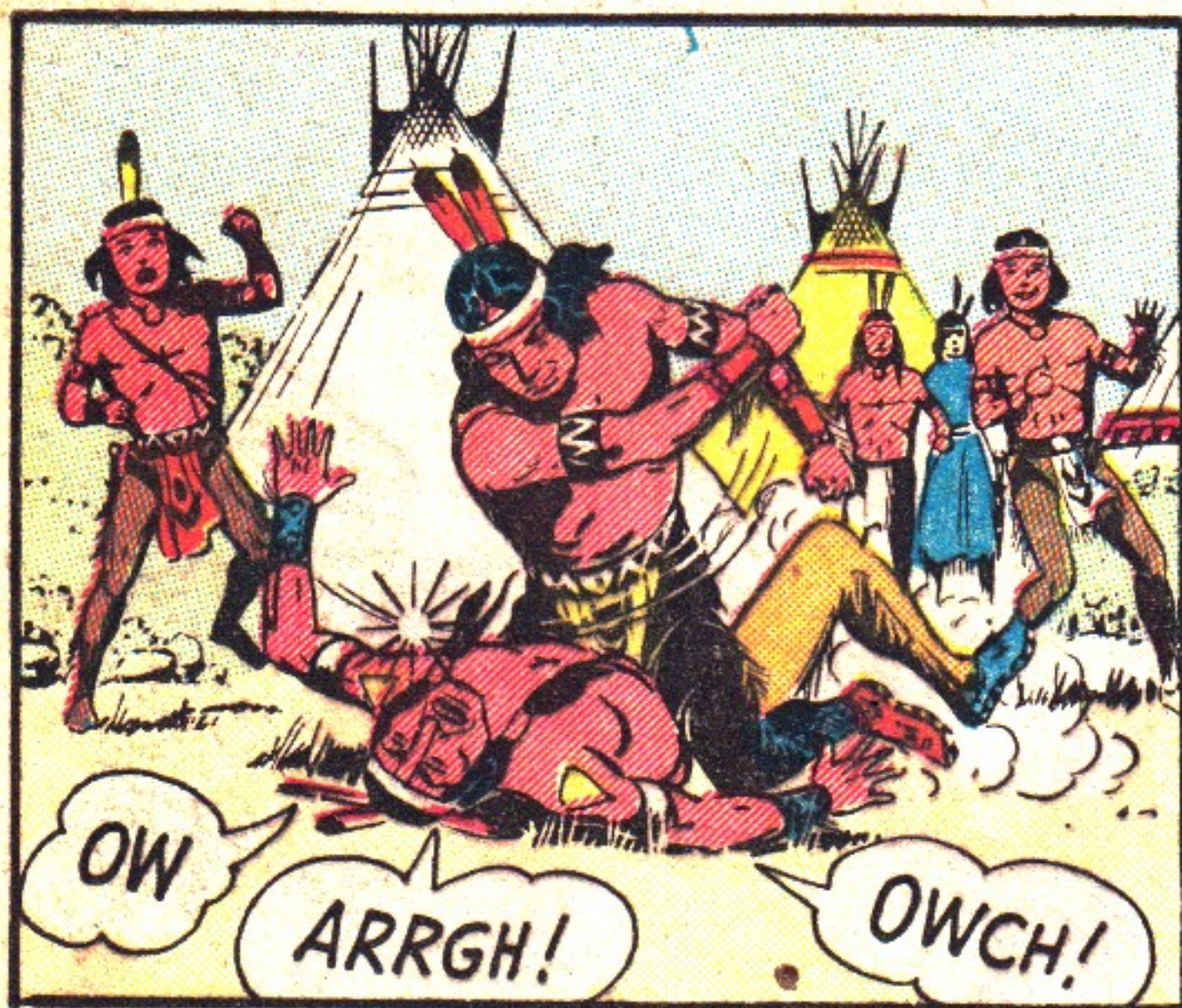
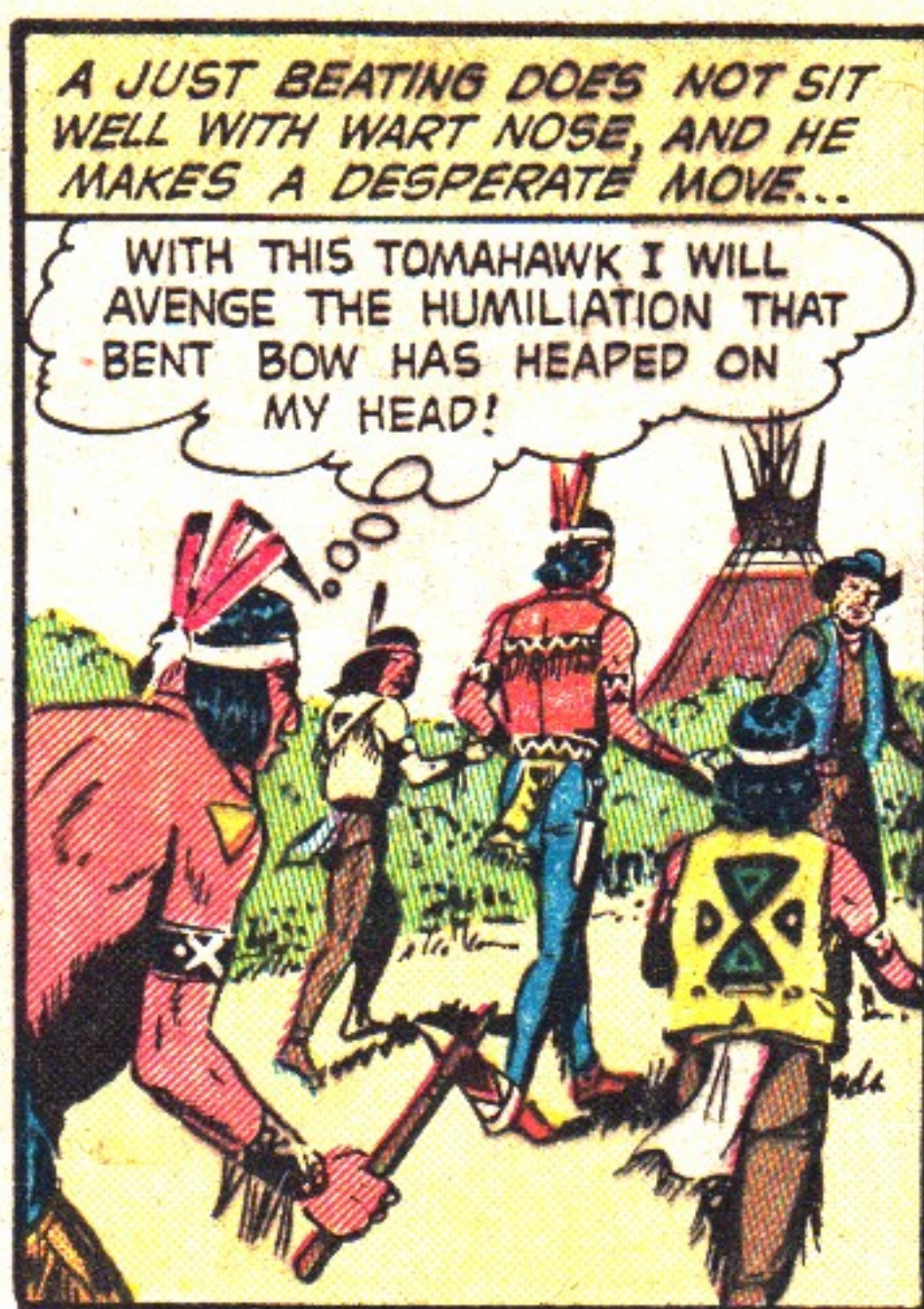




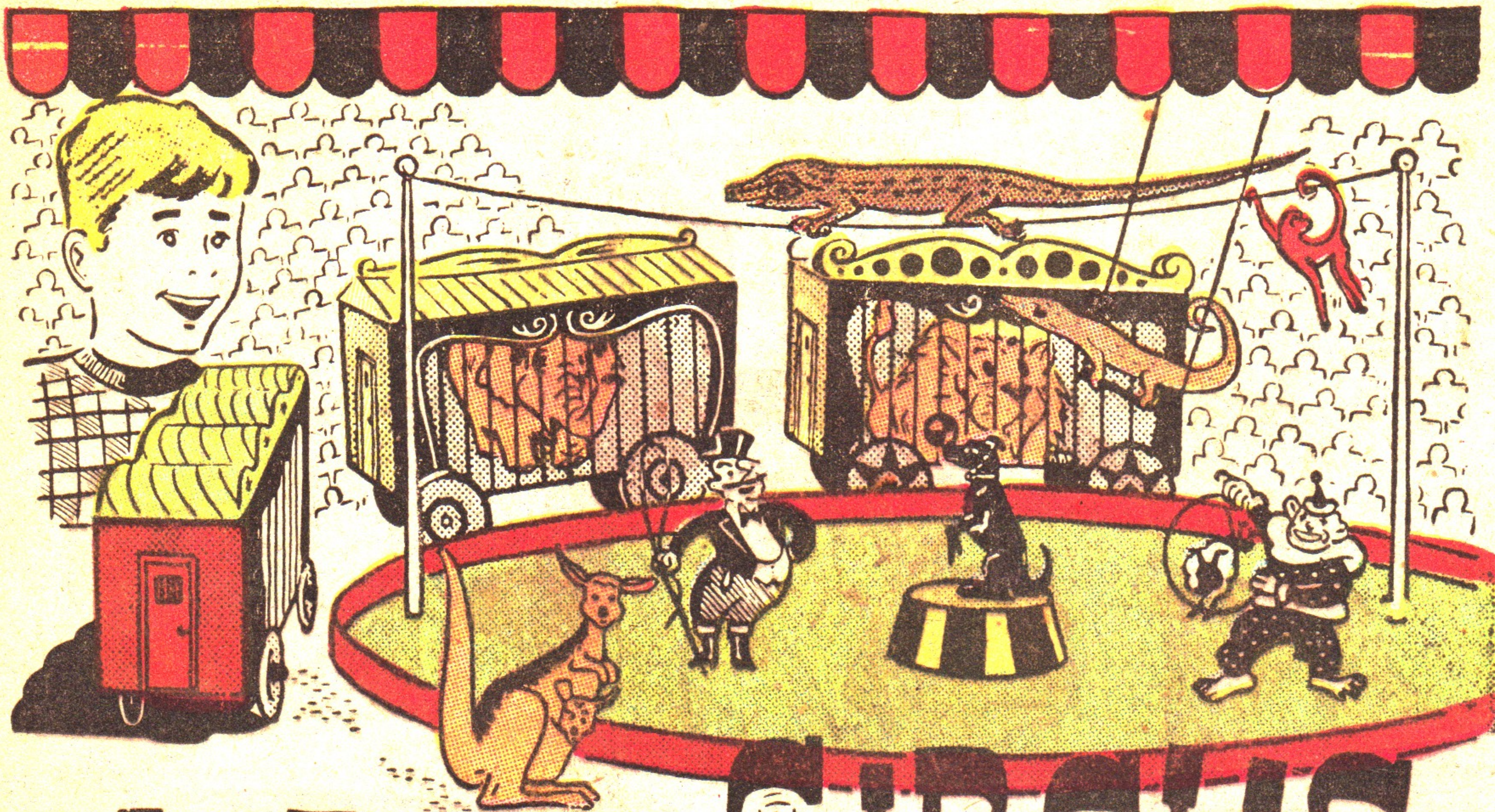












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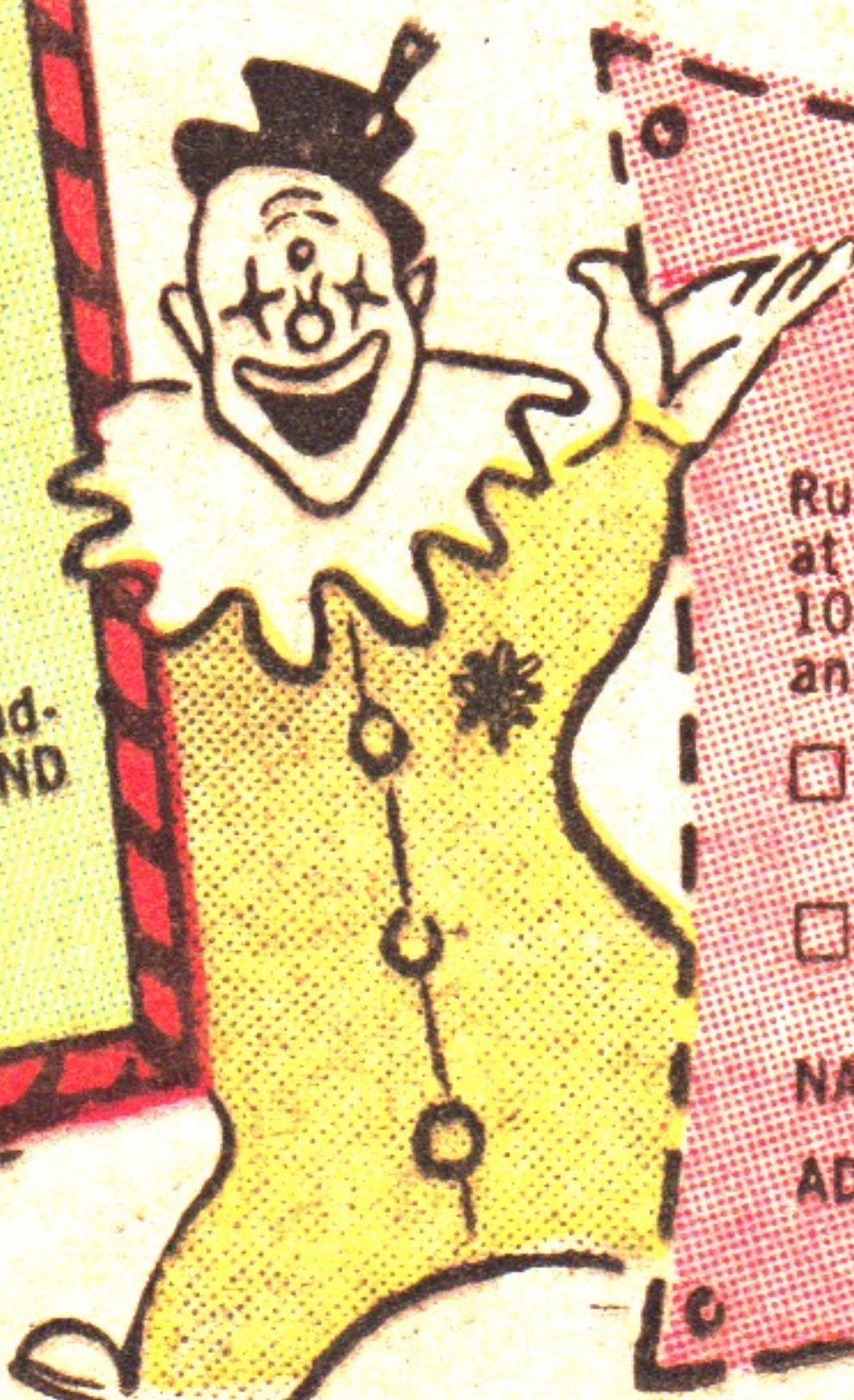
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## THE SANDS OF DOOM



HE CAME WANDERING IN AMONG THE CHEYENNE TEPEES, CARRYING HIS JARS OF COLORED SAND ON HIS BACK, CRYING OUT HIS WARES—

LET THE MAGIC SANDS SEE INTO YOUR FUTURE! WATCH WHILE THEY REVEAL WHAT IS TO HAPPEN!



SEE HERE—WHERE THE SANDS FORETELL DEATH IS COMING TO A WARRIOR, NAMED DEER HOOF!



A FEW CHEYENNES SMILE AND TURN AWAY. SOME COME NEARER, FASCINATED. **BIGFOOT**, FRIEND OF **RED HAWK**, IS ONE OF THESE GULLIBLE ONES...



I SEE MANY BUFFALO! **HEAP MANY!** ALL OF THEM **YOURS!**

MANY BUFFALO- ALL **MINE?** HAI! I WILL BE THE RICHEST MAN ON ALL THE PLAINS!



YOU'RE GOING TO BE THE **SICKEST** MAN ON ALL THE PLAINS IF YOU DON'T GET BACK TO THE TEPEE AND FIX MY COOKING POTS!

YES, MY LOVE!



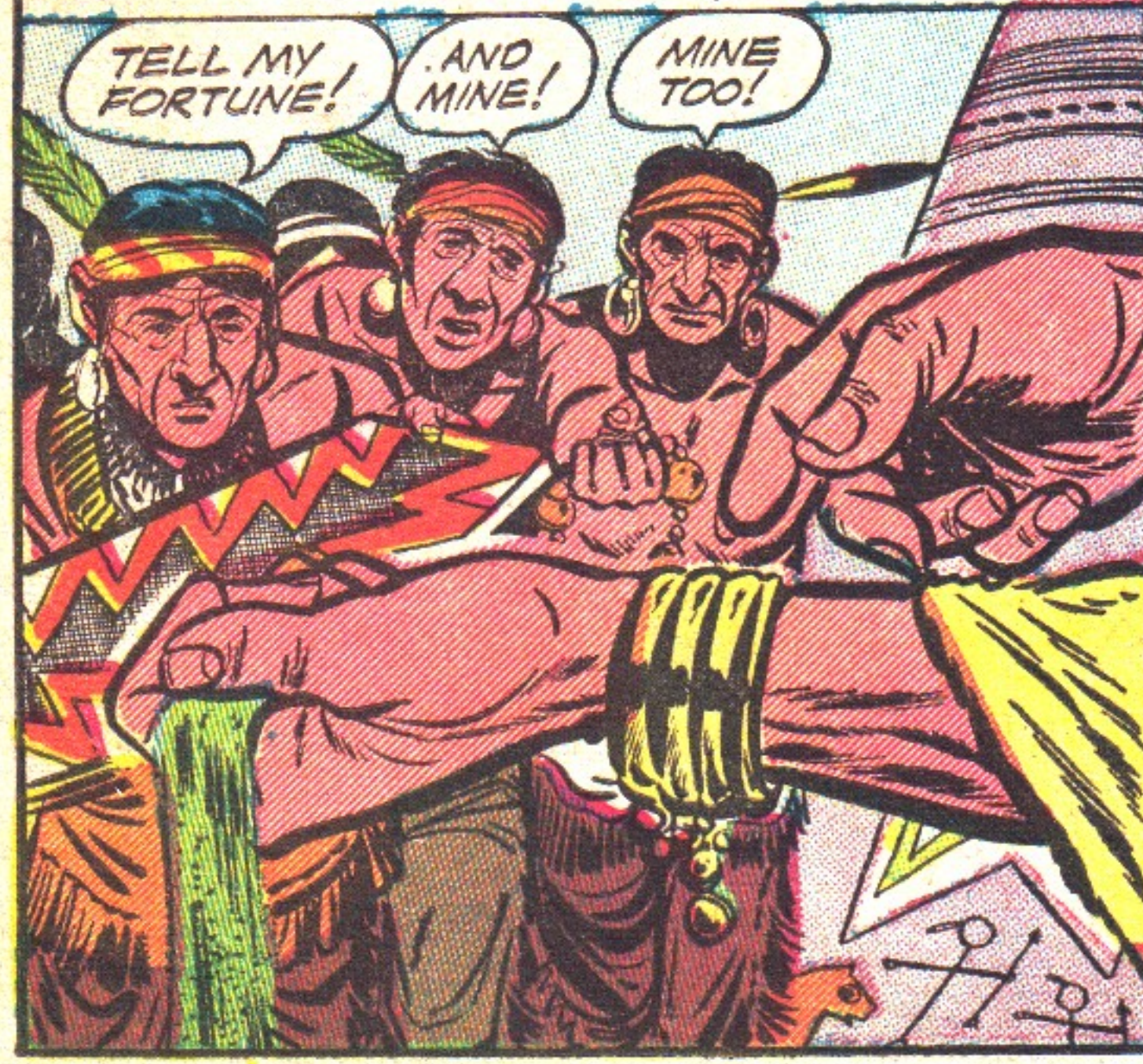
THE LAUGHTER OF THE STARING CHEYENNES BREAKS OFF SUDDENLY. **RED HAWK** IS COMING INTO THE VILLAGE WITH A STILL, SILENT SHAPE ON HIS PONY...



IT IS **DEER HOO!** DEAD AS THE PAINTED SANDS SAID HE WOULD BE!

AIE! THEY SEE THE FUTURE!

AS IF THE SIGHT OF THE GRIM SCENE IS LIKE A TRIGGER THAT SETS THEM OFF, THE CHEYENNES RUSH FOR THE SAND PAINTER, **SPOTTED DOG**...



SUCH THINGS ARE NONSENSE! NO MAN CAN SEE THE FUTURE, AND NEITHER CAN, **PAINTED SANDS!**

JUST WHAT I TOLD THE **BIG SIMPLETON** **RED HAWK!** BUT HE THINKS HE'S GOING TO GET A LOT OF BUFFALO ALL TO HIMSELF!





BUT, MOST CHEYENNES FEEL AS DOES BIGFOOT. SOON THE ENTIRE CAMP IS HELPLESS...

LOON FLYING,  
THE POT IS  
EMPTY. WE  
NEED FOOD!

THE SANDS SAID  
I WOULD BE RICH!  
WHY SHOULD I GO  
HUNTING? I'LL  
**BUY** FOOD WHEN  
I GET THOSE  
RICHES!

GO HUNT, SOME  
BUFFALO! WE  
NEED WARM  
ROBES FOR  
WINTER!

HU! THE  
SANDS SAID  
I WOULD DIE  
BEFORE THE  
SUMMER IS  
OVER. WHAT NEED  
HAVE I FOR  
WARM ROBES?

FATHER SAYS  
YOU WILL HAVE  
TO GIVE HIM  
THREE PONIES  
TO GET MY HAND  
IN MARRIAGE!

HAH! I AM  
GOING TO BE  
VERY RICH!  
YOUR FATHER  
WILL PAY ME  
TO MARRY  
YOU!

DISGUSTED AT HIS TRIBE'S SPINELESS-  
NESS, RED HAWK HUNTS WITH BIGFOOT.

SOMEBODY HAS  
TO GO HUNTING.  
OTHERWISE,  
WE'LL ALL  
STARVE!

REMEMBER ALL  
THOSE BUFFALO  
THAT ARE GOING  
TO BE MINE? WHEN  
I FIND THEM, NO ONE  
WILL STARVE!

HIGH INTO THE HILLS  
THEY HUNT, UNTIL—

BIGFOOT! LOOK!  
YOUR BUFFALO!

WHAT?  
WHERE?

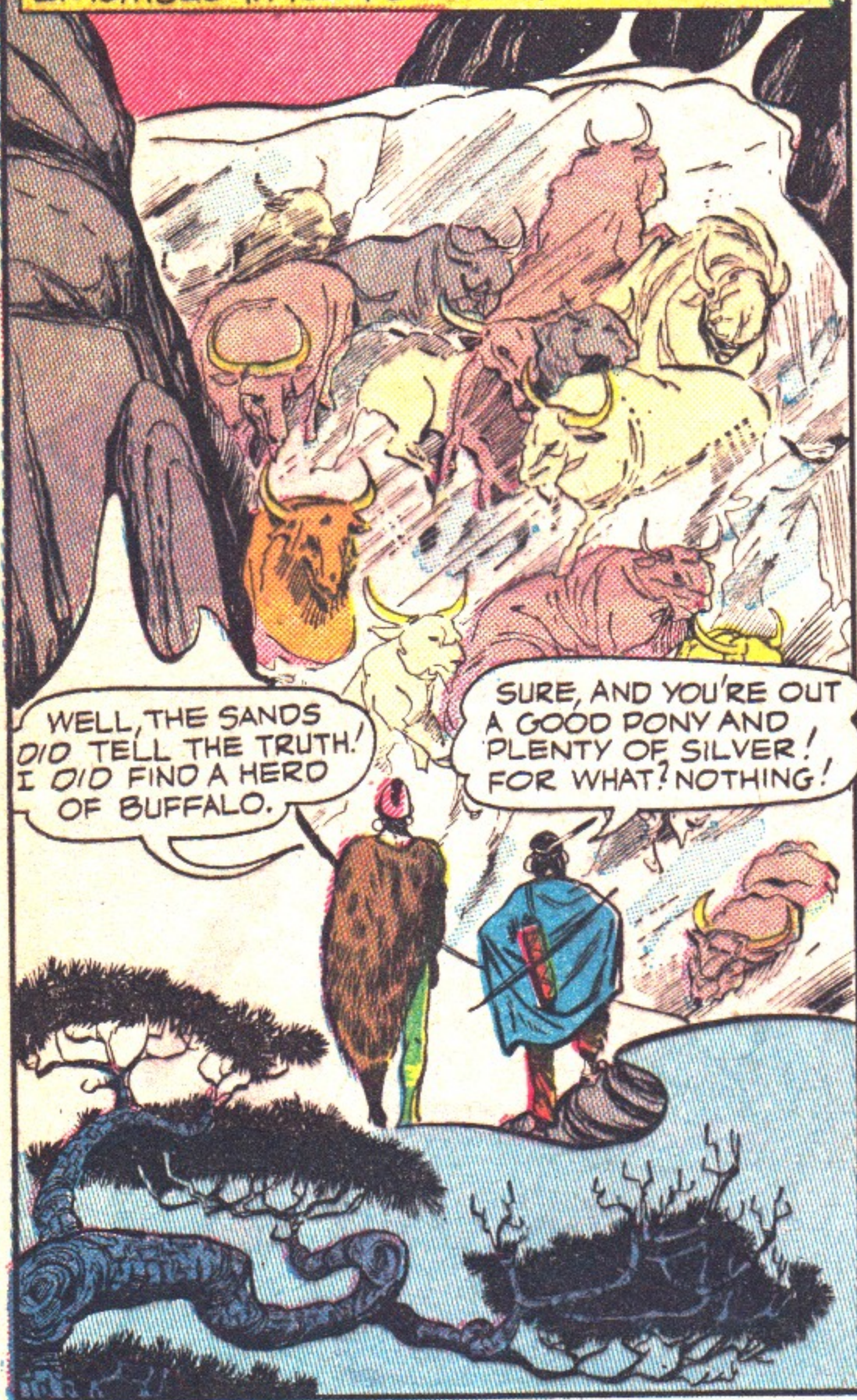
HA/HA/HA! IN  
THERE, BIGFOOT!  
YOUR BUFFALO ARE  
IN THERE. HA/HA!

HO! HO! HO!  
HA! HA! HA!  
HA! HA!

WHAT??



ENCASED BY THICK GLACIAL ICE IS A HERD OF PREHISTORIC BUFFALO, CAUGHT BY SOME ANCIENT CATASTROPHE OF NATURE AND ENTOMBED IN ICE FOREVER!



WELL, THE SANDS DID TELL THE TRUTH! I DID FIND A HERD OF BUFFALO.

SURE, AND YOU'RE OUT A GOOD PONY AND PLENTY OF SILVER! FOR WHAT? NOTHING!

NEXT DAY AT DAWN, BIGFOOT IS BACK AT THE SAND-PAINTER'S LITTLE WICKIUP...

READ THE SANDS AGAIN FOR ME, TAKE THESE PONIES IN PAYMENT.

GO GET ME MORE SILVER AND ONE MORE PONY!



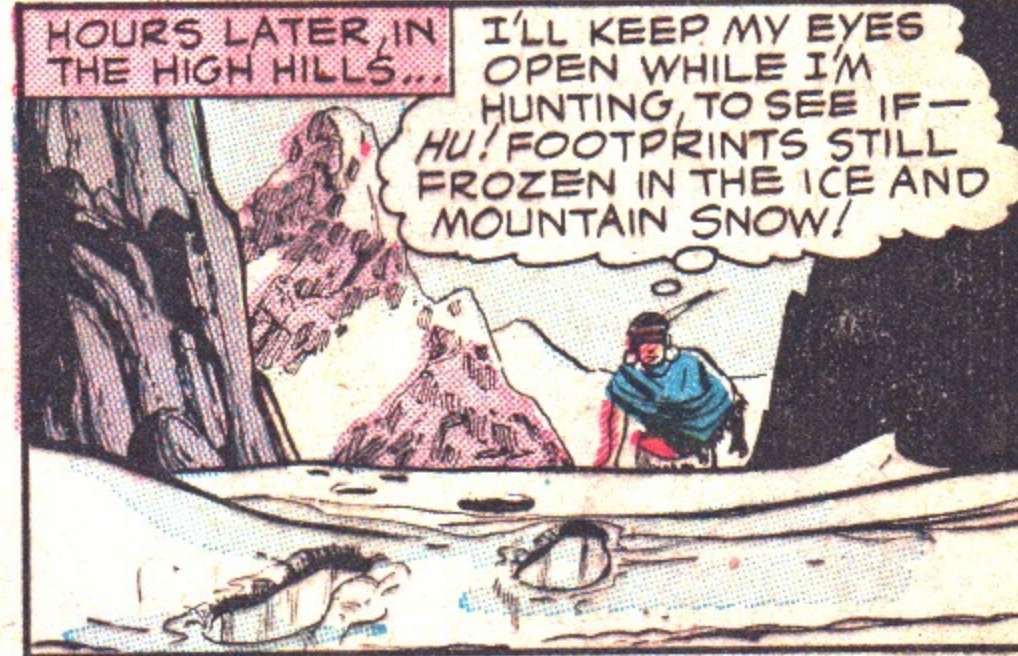
THE SHADOWS STIR. RED HAWK STEPS FROM THEM, SCOWLING FIERCELY

THIS HAS GONE FAR ENOUGH! THIS SAND-PAINTER HAS MOST OF THE TRIBAL WEALTH NOW. IF HE STAYS ANY LONGER—HE'LL HAVE IT ALL!



HOURS LATER, IN THE HIGH HILLS...

I'LL KEEP MY EYES OPEN WHILE I'M HUNTING, TO SEE IF—HU! FOOTPRINTS STILL FROZEN IN THE ICE AND MOUNTAIN SNOW!



WHOEVER KNEW ABOUT THOSE BUFFALO ALSO KNEW ABOUT THIS CAVE. THAT SAND-PAINTER KNEW BIGFOOT AND I HUNTED A LOT IN THESE HILLS. HE GAMBLLED THAT SOONER OR LATER WE'D FIND THOSE FROZEN ANIMALS!

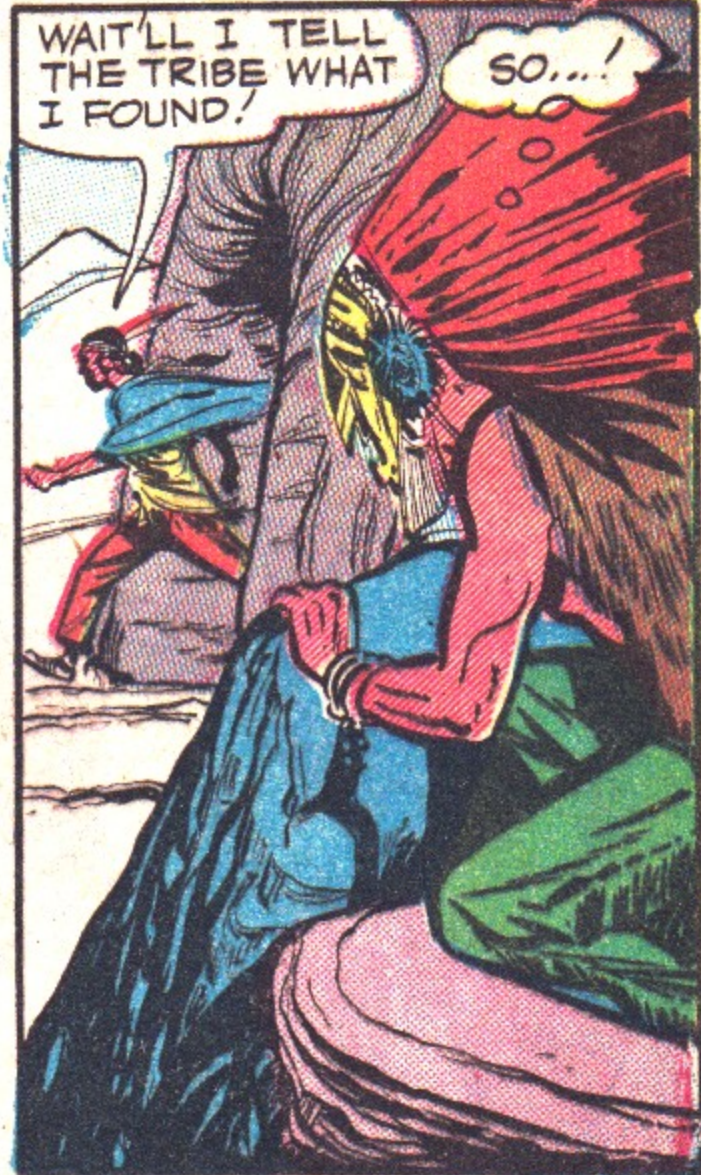


HAI! ALL THE WEALTH OF OUR TRIBE—HIDDEN AWAY HERE! AND—AND NOT ONLY WEALTH, EITHER!

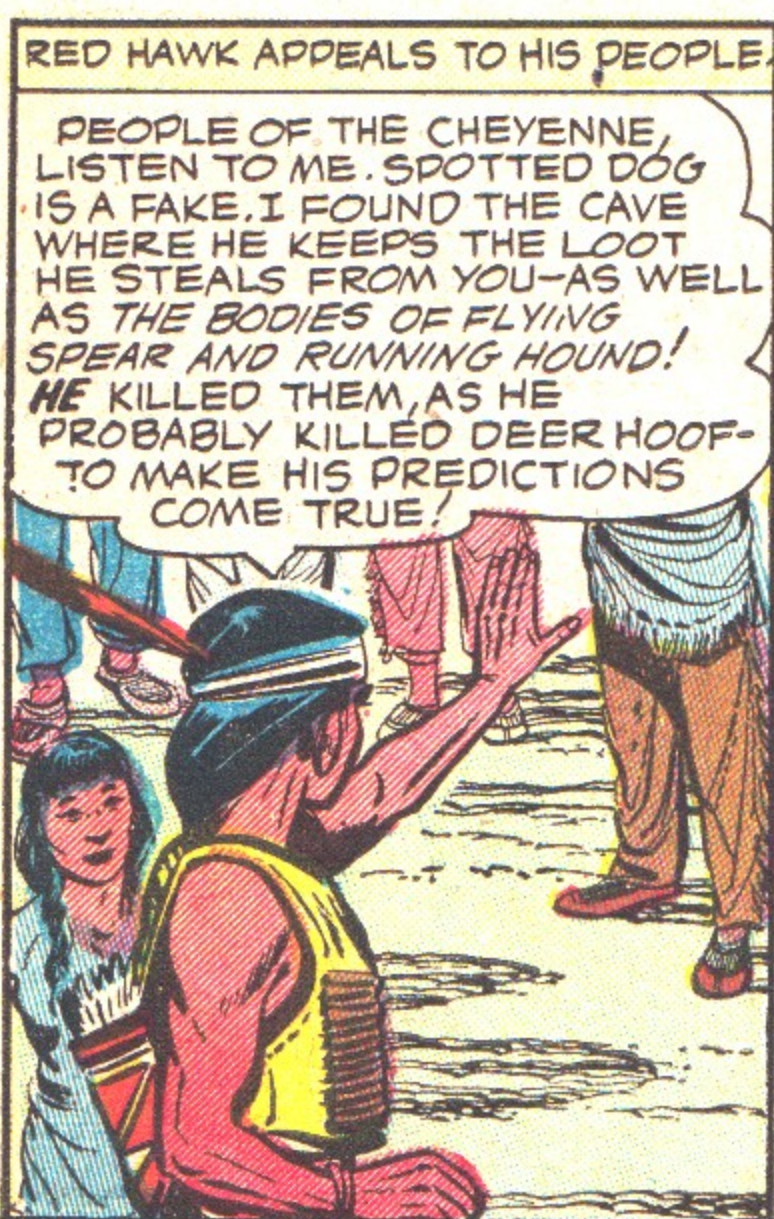
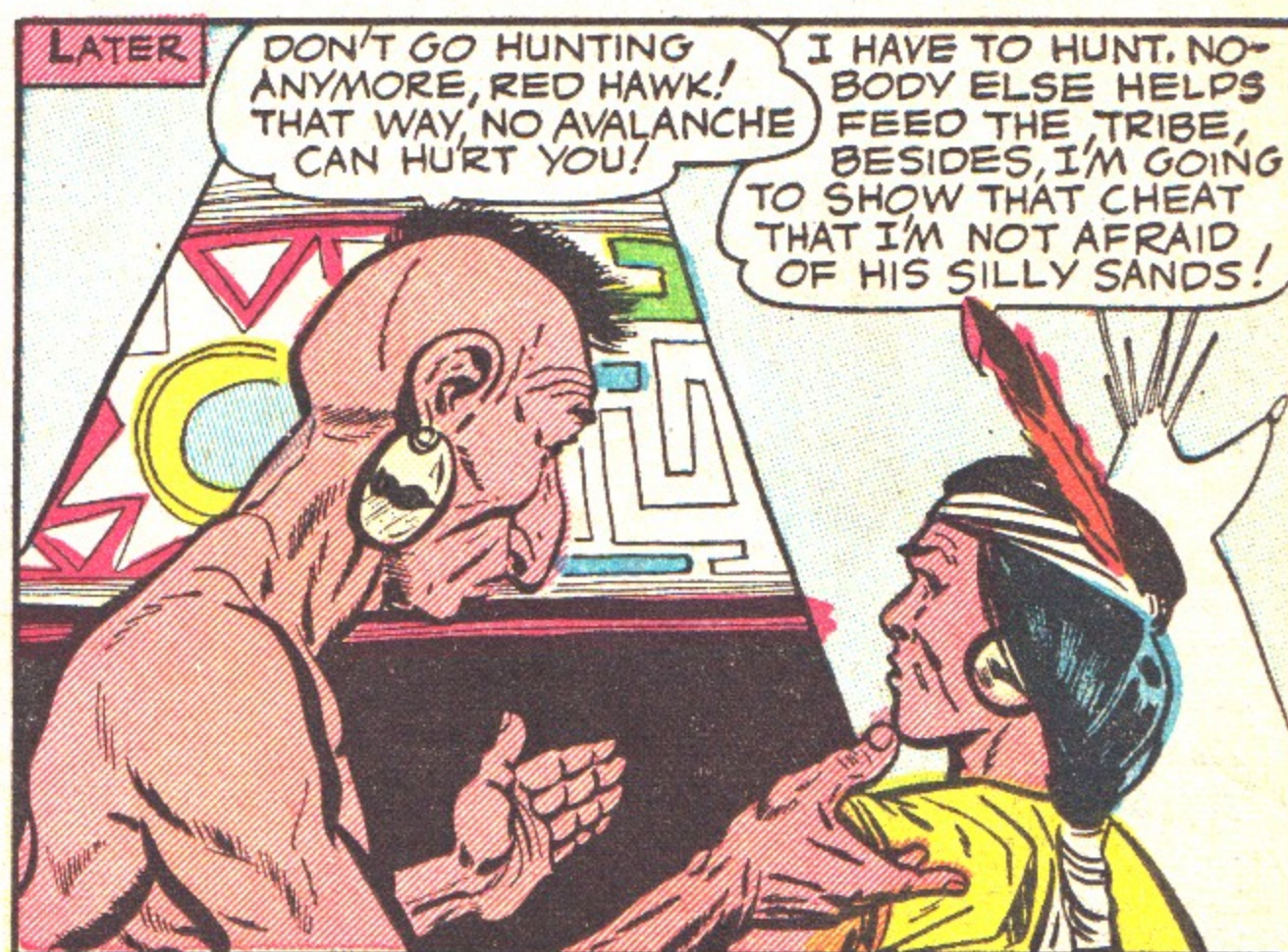
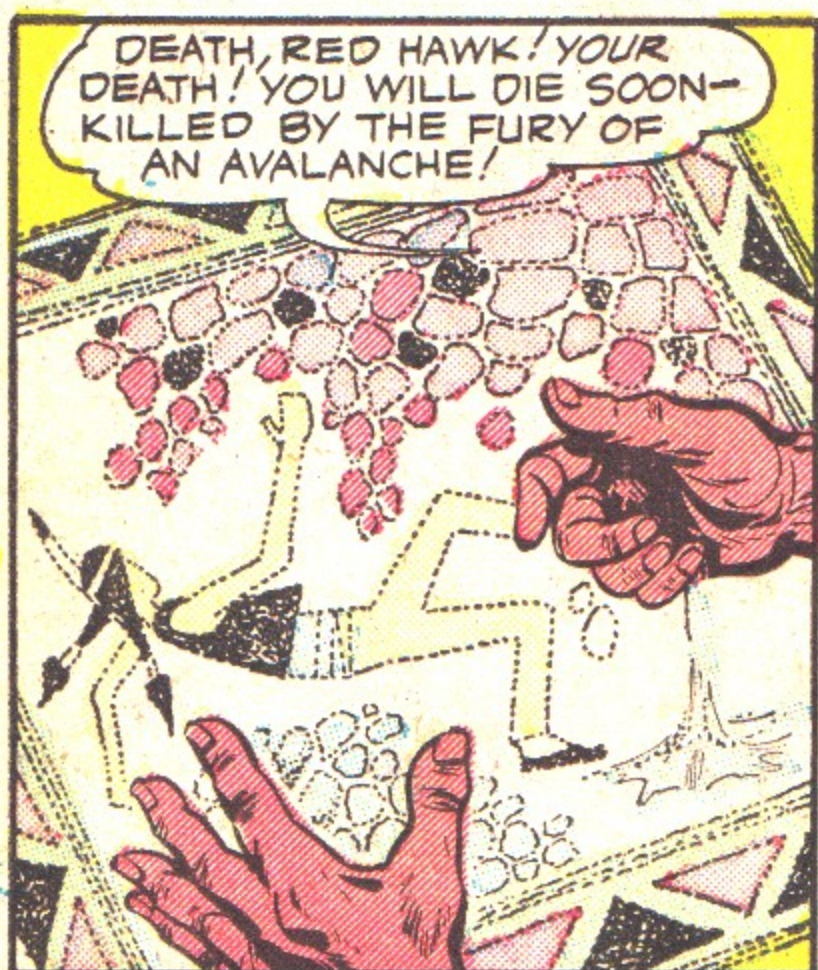
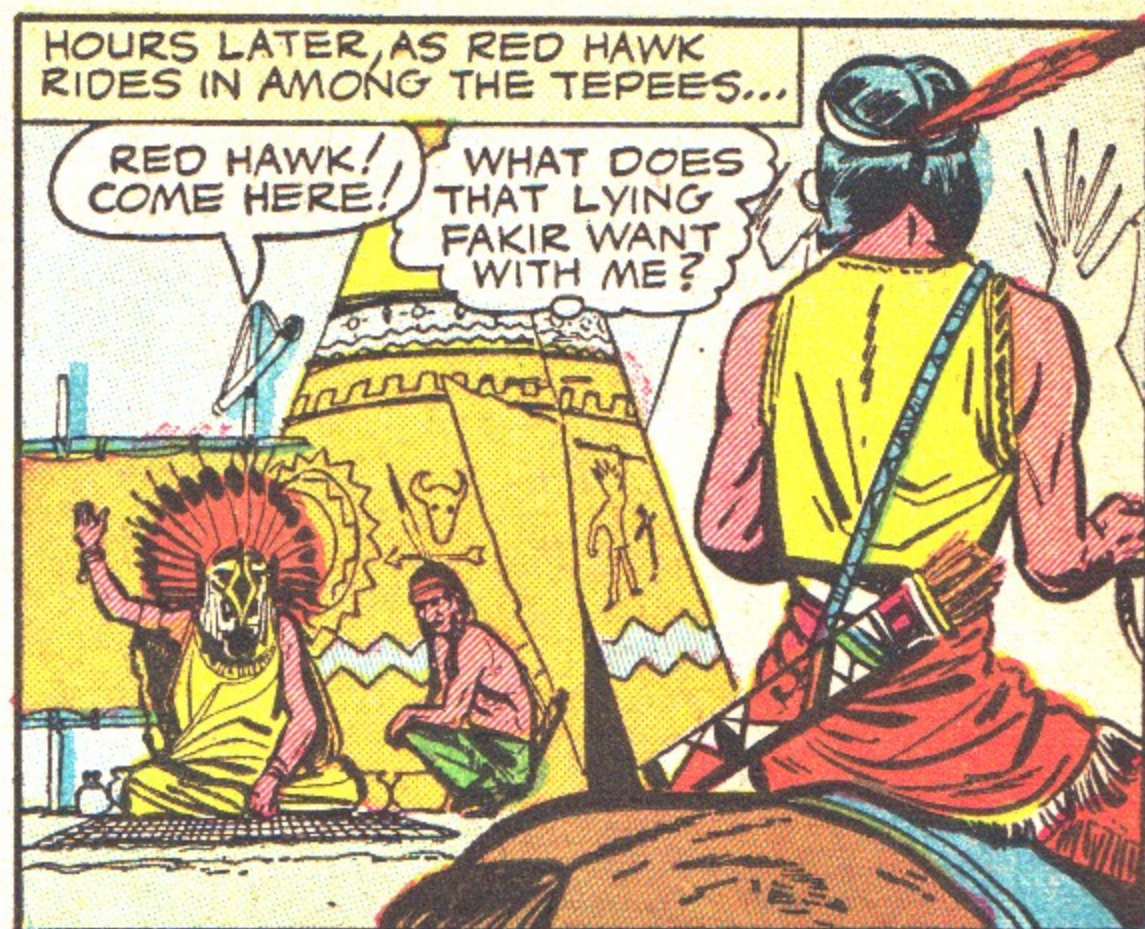
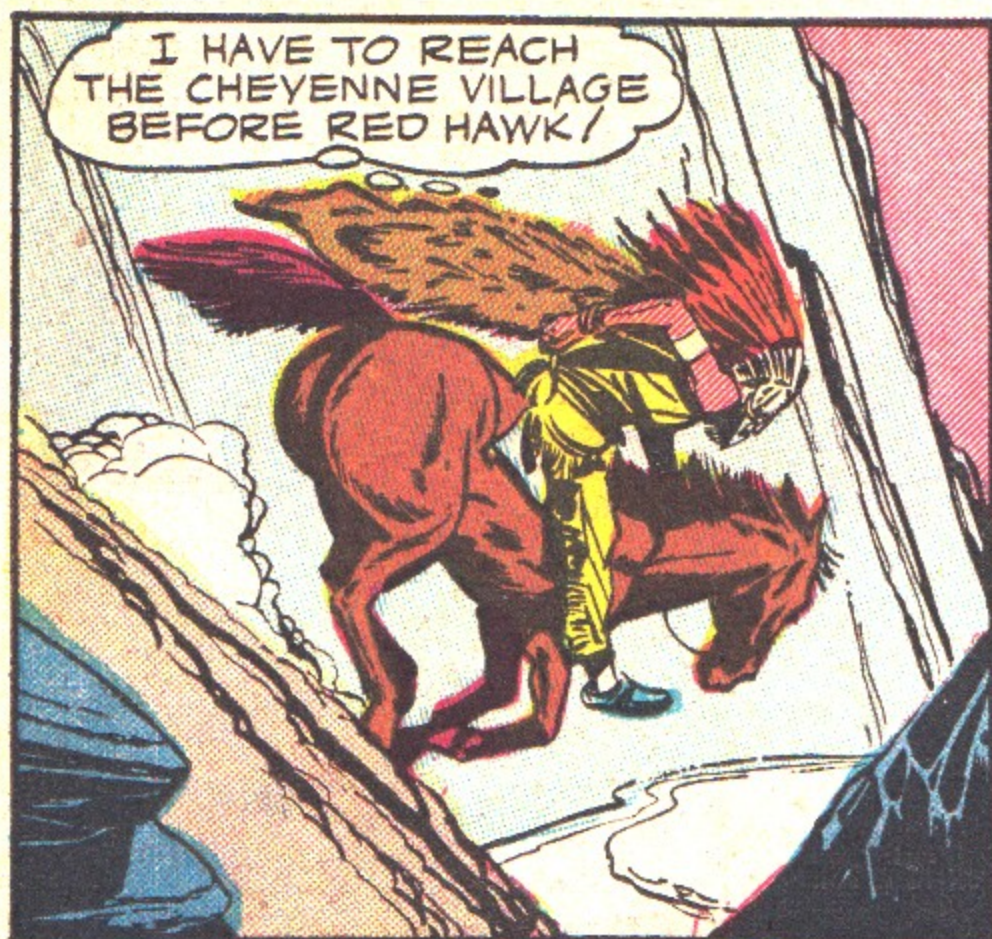


WAIT'LL I TELL THE TRIBE WHAT I FOUND!

SO...!

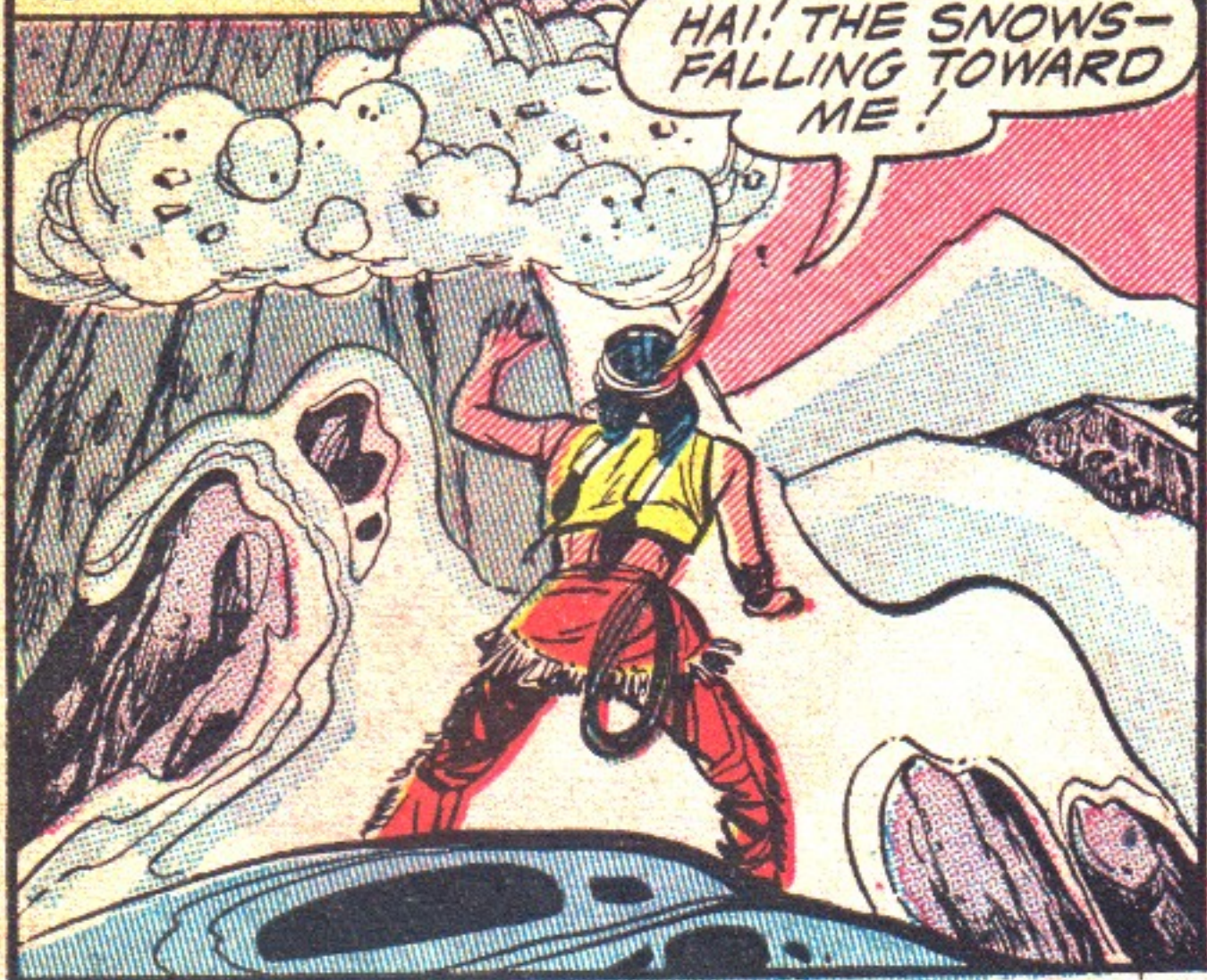






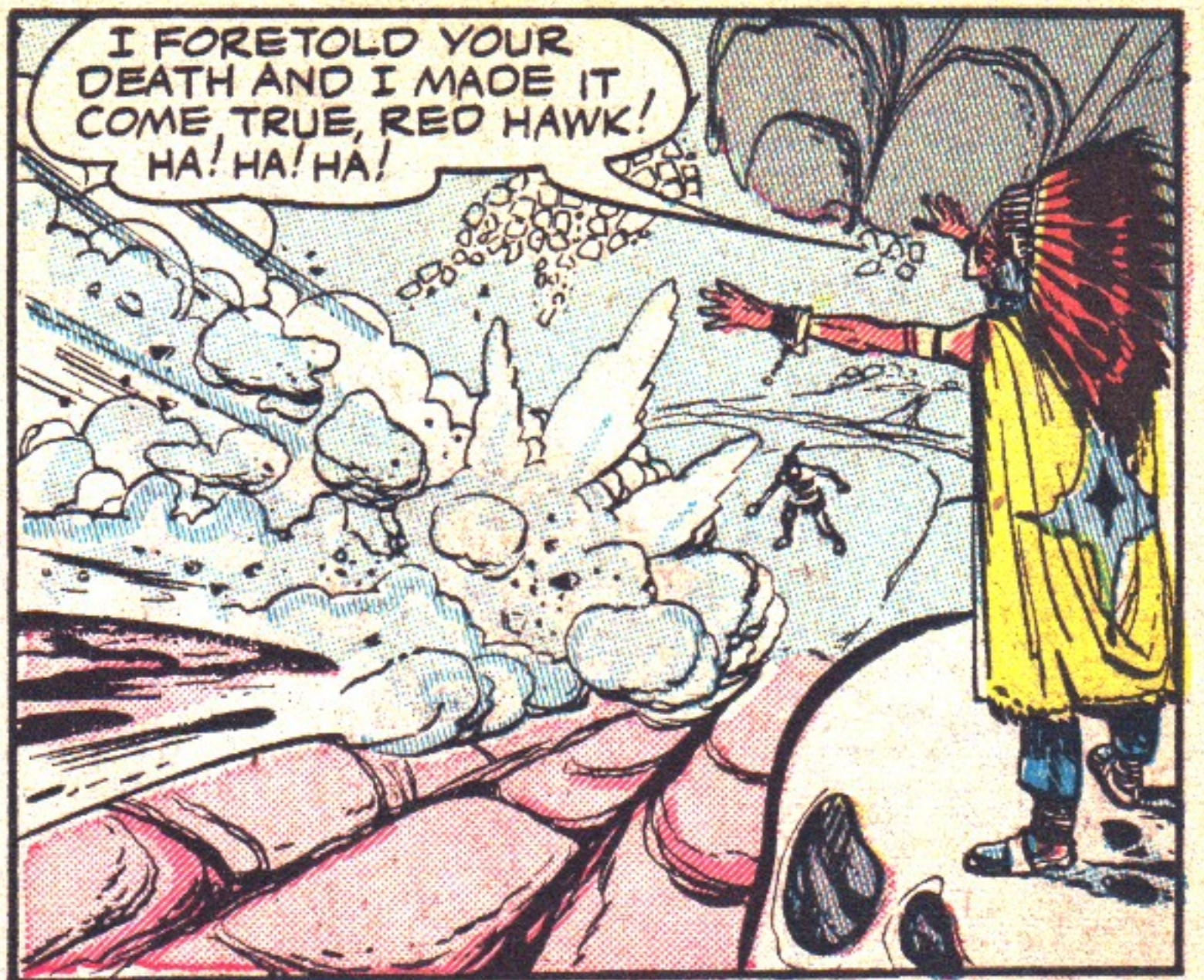


AS HE HUNTS, RED HAWK DOES NOT HEAR THE SULLEN RUMBLE OF SNOW AND ICE UNTIL—



HA! THE SNOWS—  
FALLING TOWARD  
ME!

I FORETOLD YOUR  
DEATH AND I MADE IT  
COME TRUE, RED HAWK!  
HA! HA! HA!

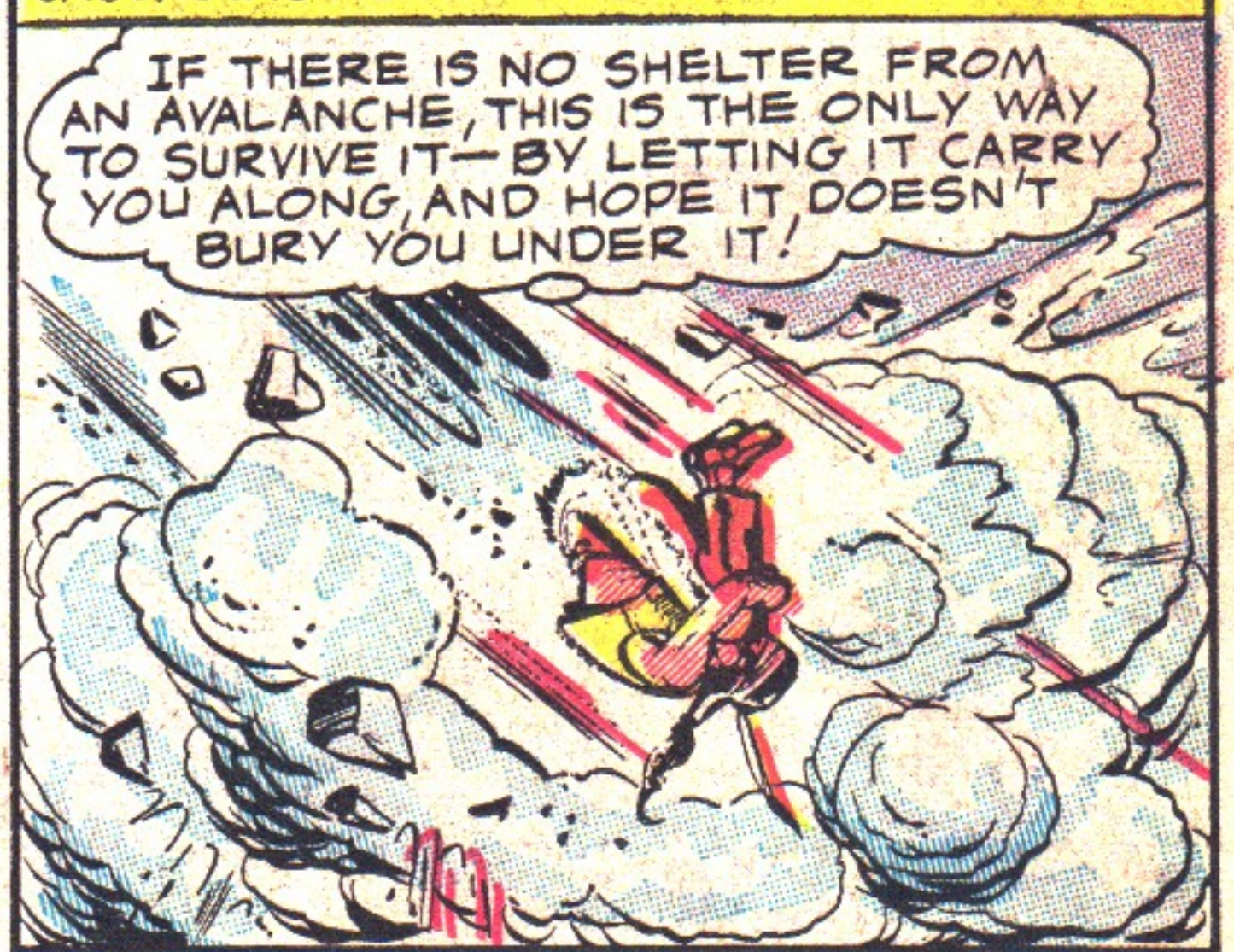


AS THAT MIGHTY FORCE HURTTLES DOWN ON HIM, RED HAWK REALIZES THAT HE HAS MET HIS MASTER—



NO WAY  
TO ESCAPE,  
UNLESS—

FORMING HIMSELF INTO A HUMAN BALL, RED HAWK IS LIFTED AND TOSSED BY THE CASCADING TONS OF SNOW!



IF THERE IS NO SHELTER FROM  
AN AVALANCHE, THIS IS THE ONLY WAY  
TO SURVIVE IT—BY LETTING IT CARRY  
YOU ALONG, AND HOPE IT DOESN'T  
BURY YOU UNDER IT!

SUDDENLY A GIGANTIC CHASM  
LOOMS AHEAD!



GOT TO RISK EVERY-  
THING OR GO OVER THE  
CLIFF AND BE BURIED  
ALIVE!

HIS HAND SNAKES OUT HIS  
LARIAT. DESPERATELY HE  
MAKES HIS CAST—

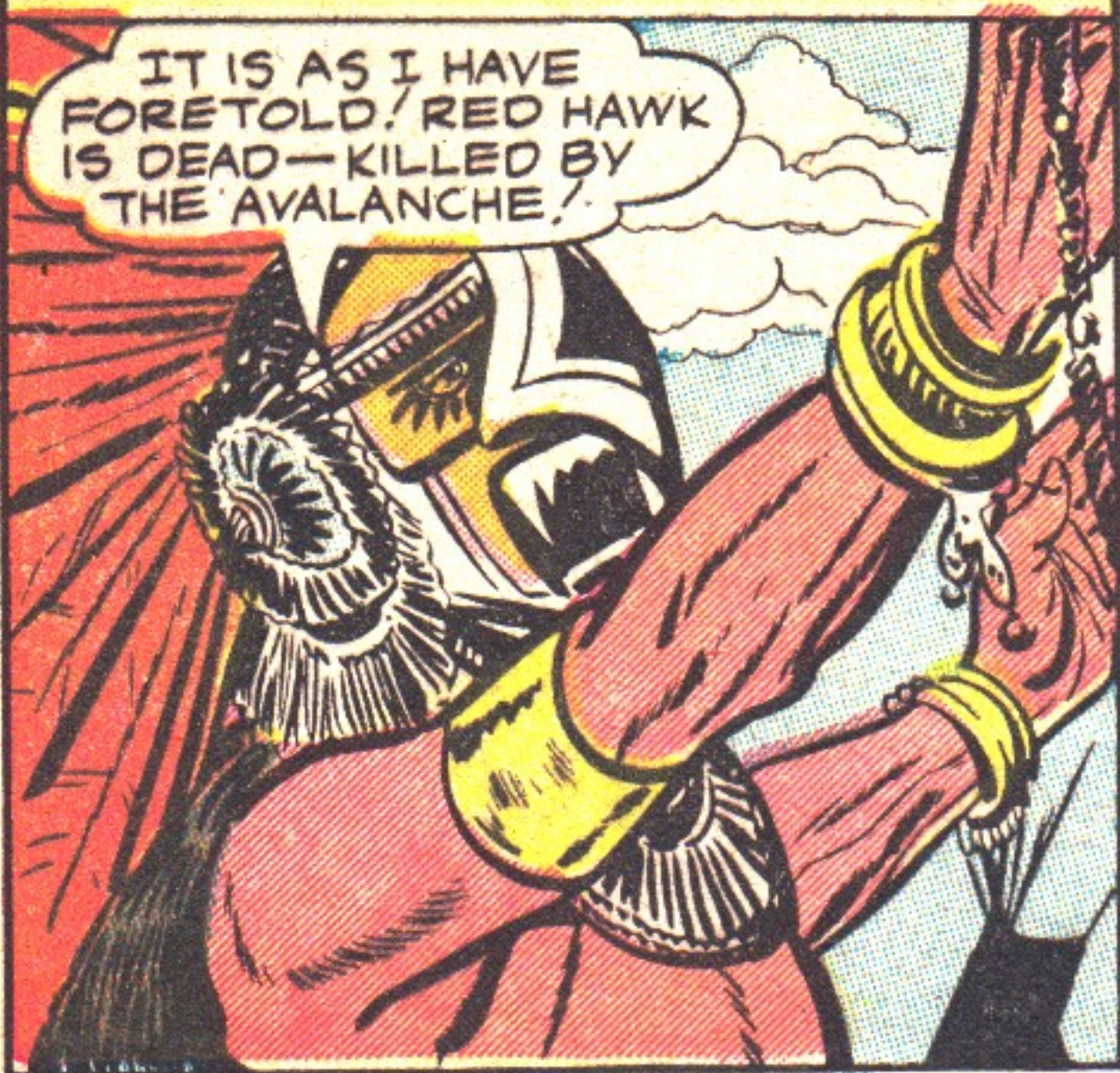


—AND HANGS IN MIDAIR AS THE  
AVALANCHE ROLLS BY HIM!

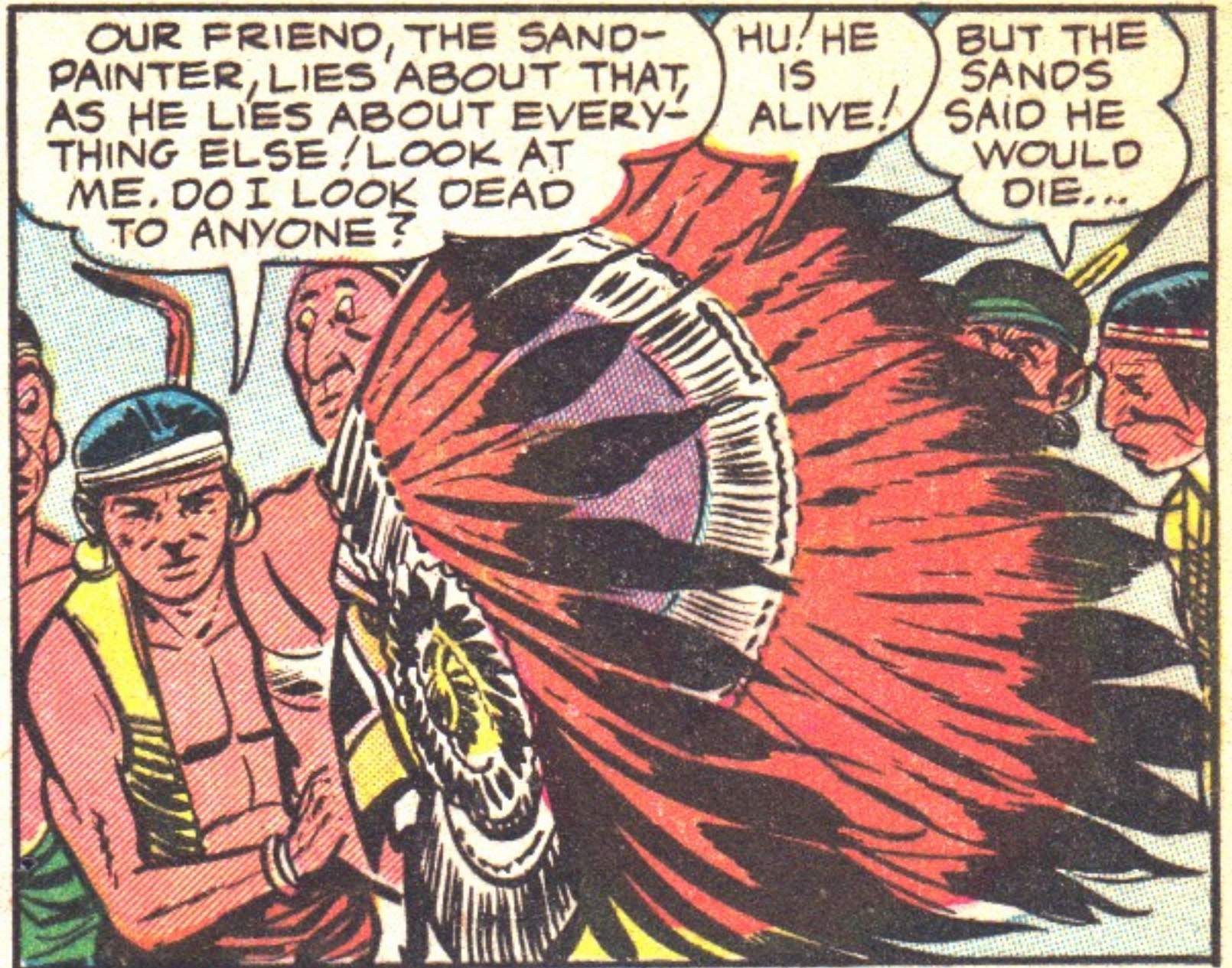




NEXT DAY IN THE CHEYENNE VILLAGE..



IT IS AS I HAVE FORETOLD! RED HAWK IS DEAD—KILLED BY THE AVALANCHE!



OUR FRIEND, THE SAND-PAINTER, LIES ABOUT THAT, AS HE LIES ABOUT EVERYTHING ELSE! LOOK AT ME. DO I LOOK DEAD TO ANYONE?

HU! HE IS ALIVE!

BUT THE SANDS SAID HE WOULD DIE...



BUT I SAW—!

YOU SAW THE AVALANCHE HIT ME, BECAUSE YOU STARTED IT AT ME! BUT THE GREAT SPIRIT PROTECTED ME, AND SAVED ME, THAT I MIGHT EXPOSE YOU. LISTEN! HE SPEAKS NOW, WITH THE VOICE OF THUNDER!

AS STUNNED CHEYENNE EARS LISTEN, THE FAROFF ROLL OF THUNDER IS HEARD...



THE GREAT SPIRIT SAID TO COME TO SEE THE CAVE I SPOKE OF! THERE YOU WILL HAVE PROOF THAT SPOTTED DOG IS A MURDERER AND A CHEAT!

ROAAAARRR

WHEN HIS PEOPLE SEE WHAT LIES IN THE CAVE, THEY BELIEVE RED HAWK AT LAST!



SEE THE BODIES OF MEN WHOSE DEATH HE FORETOLD. HE BROUGHT THEM HERE AND KILLED THEM!

HU! SPOTTED DOG IS A BAD MAN. HE MUST BE MADE TO SUFFER FOR THIS!

BUT SPOTTED DOG IS NO FOOL. HE CANNOT TAKE ALL HIS WEALTH WITH HIM, BUT HE MANAGES TO RUN OFF WITH SOME OF IT. WHOSE? LET'S SEE...

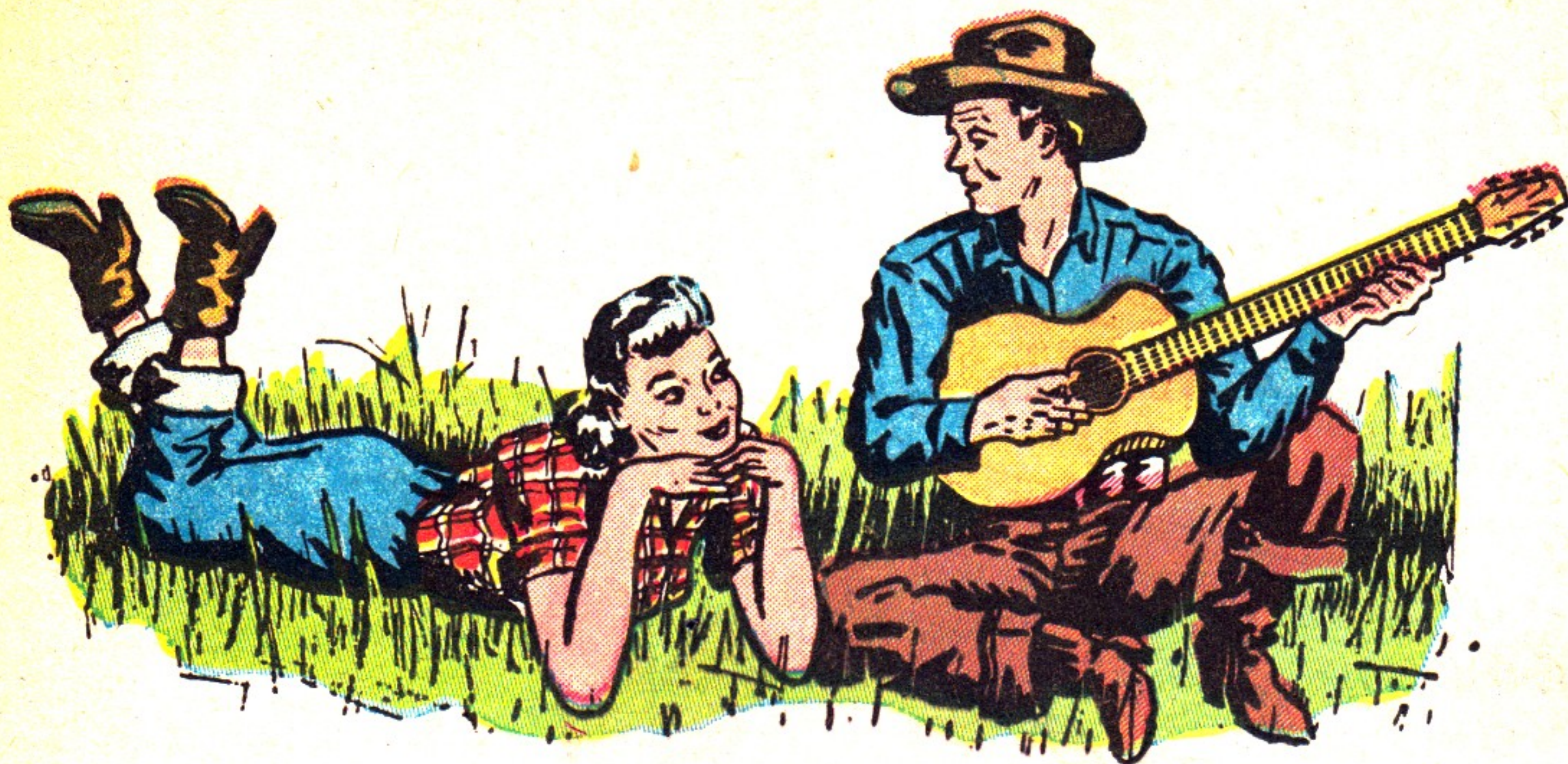


FOOL! IMBECILE! IDIOT! HE WOULD PICK ON THE GIFTS YOU GAVE HIM TO STEAL. NOW WE ARE AS POOR AS FIELD MICE!

SOME FRIEND YOU TURNED OUT TO BE! WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME SPOTTED DOG WAS A CHEAT??







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BOYS!

THE  
ABOMINABLE  
SNOWMAN!

TERROR STRIKES IN  
THE NIGHT AND CRIME IS  
COMMITTED IN THE NAME OF  
LEGEND, AS FEAR-STRICKEN MEN  
SCRAMBLE IN PANIC BEFORE THE  
ONSLAUGHT OF A STRANGE CREATURE  
TO WHOM ONLY ONE MAN DARES  
TO GIVE BATTLE WHEN **STRAIGHT  
ARROW** CHALLENGES —

## "THE ABOMINABLE SNOWMAN"

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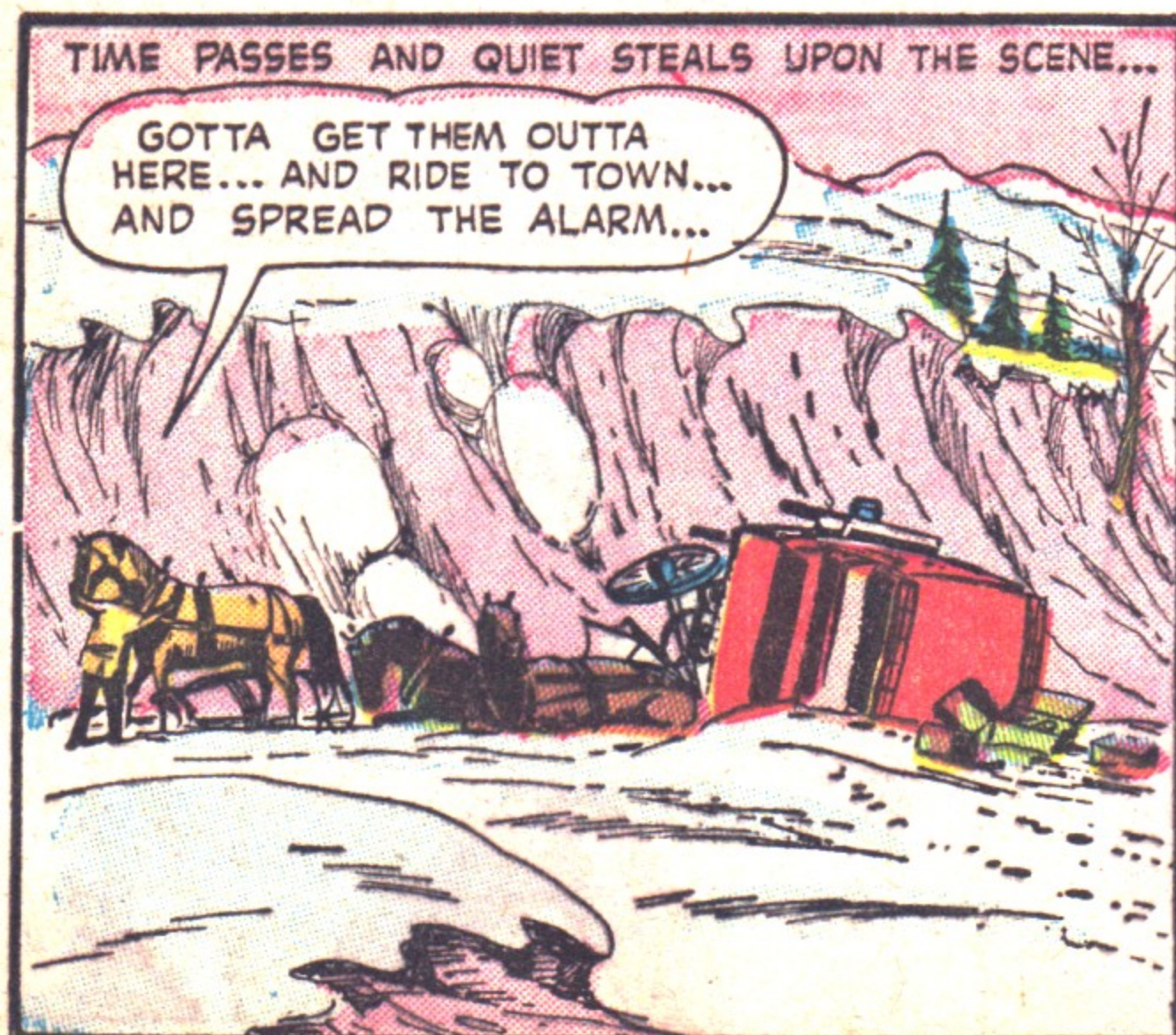
THE HORSES ARE LOST IN TERROR! HOOFS  
SLIDE AND STRIKE SPARKS ON THE SLIPPERY  
ROAD...

JUMP!

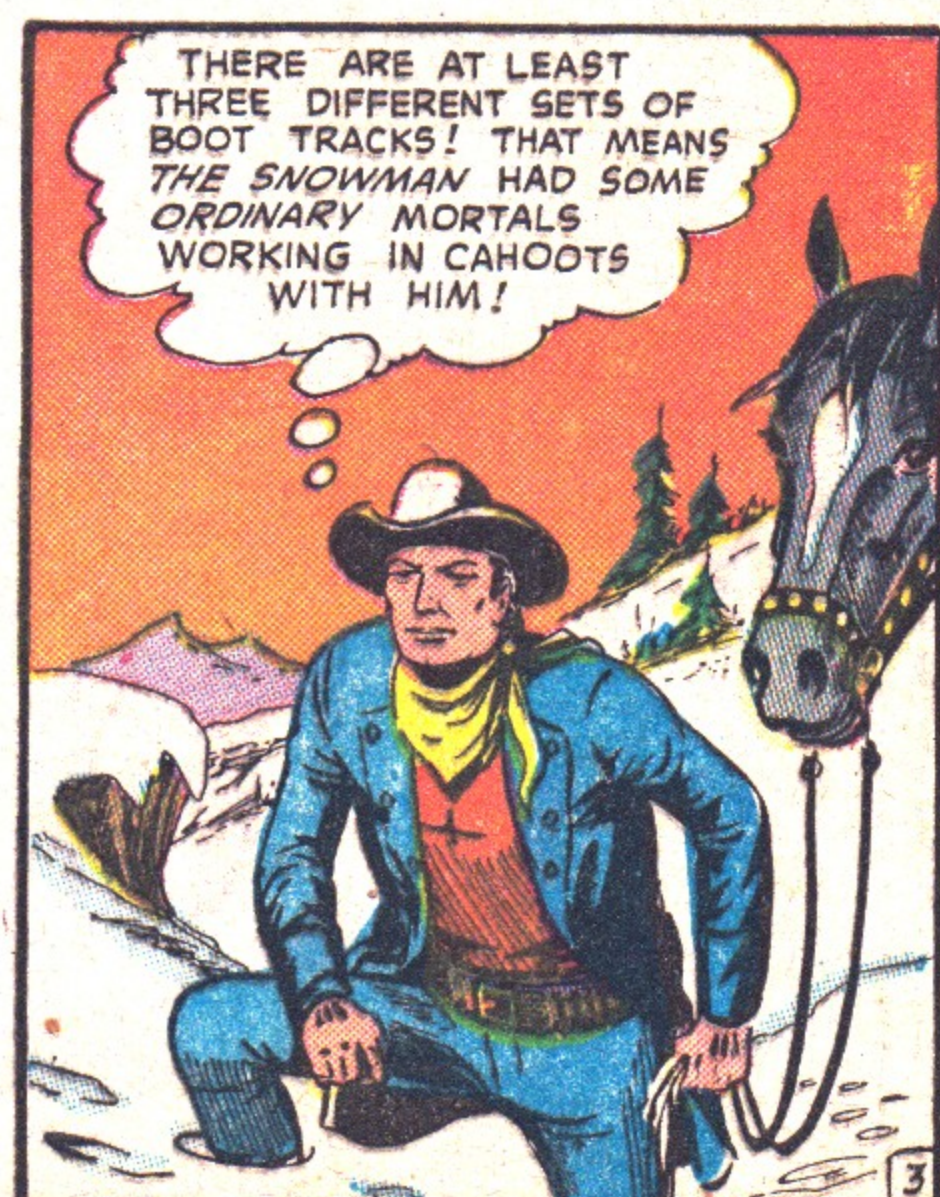
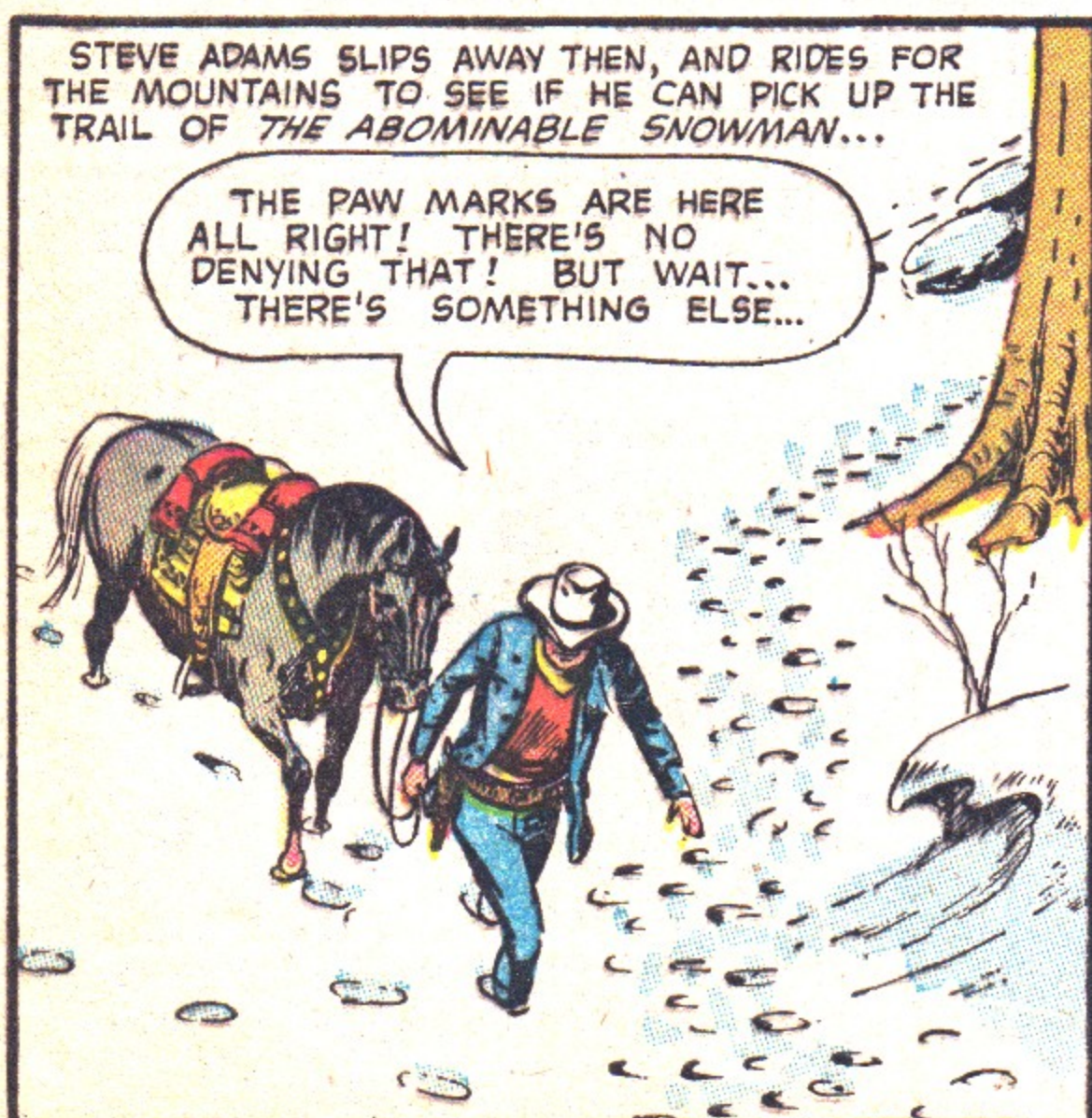
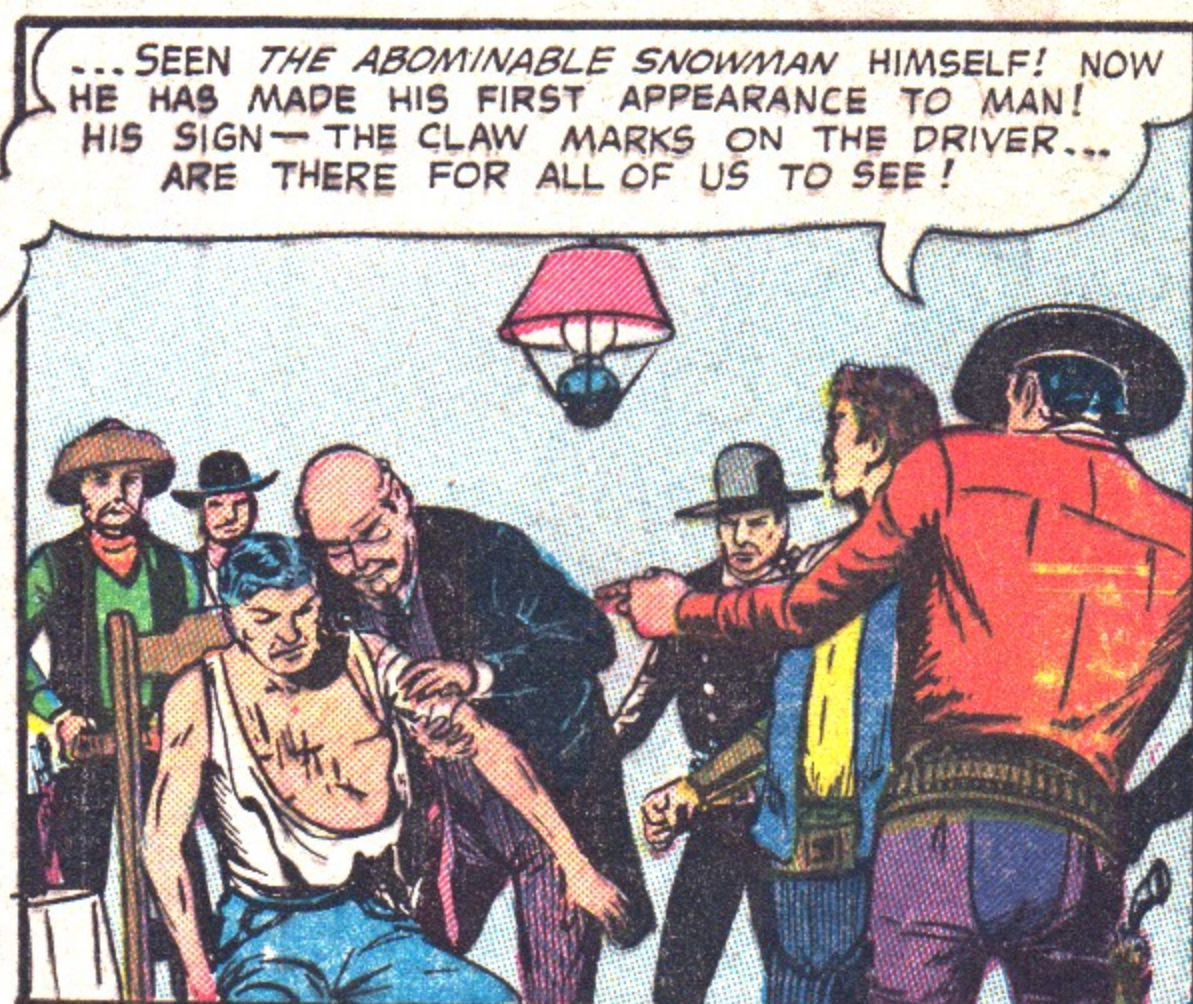
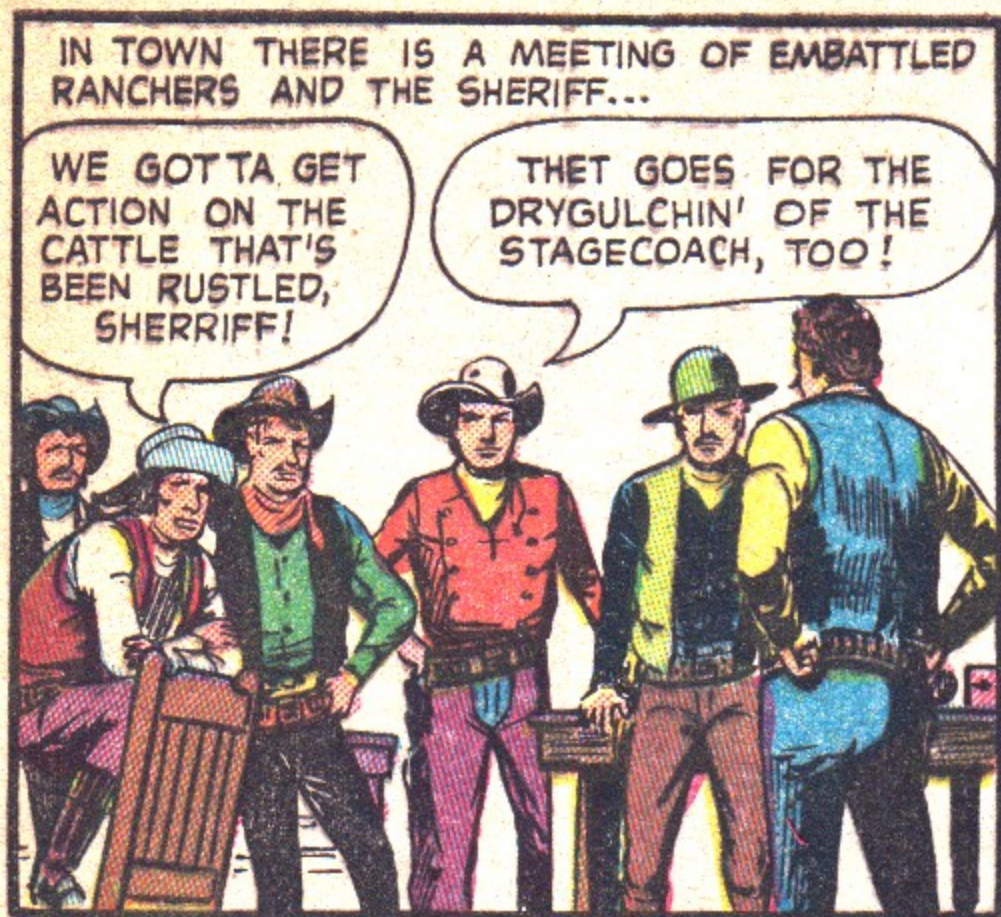
THE ABOMINABLE SNOWMAN MOVES IN FOR  
THE KILL

ARRGHHH!











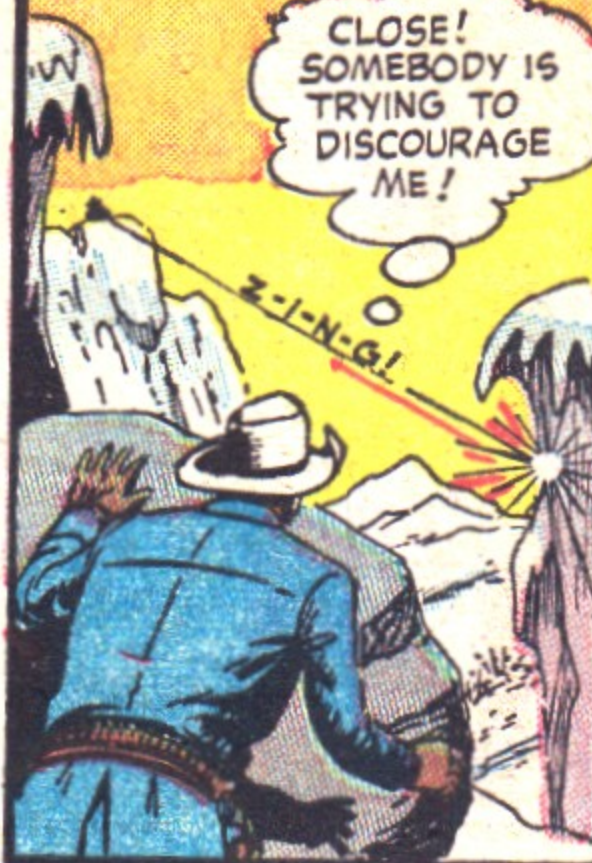
TETHERING HIS HORSE, STEVE ADAMS  
FOLLOWS THE TRAIL UP THE SNOW-  
COVERED MOUNTAINS...

LOOKS LIKE AN UNINVITED GUEST!  
MEBBE A BULLET WILL LARN HIM  
TO STAY IN HIS OWN CORRAL!



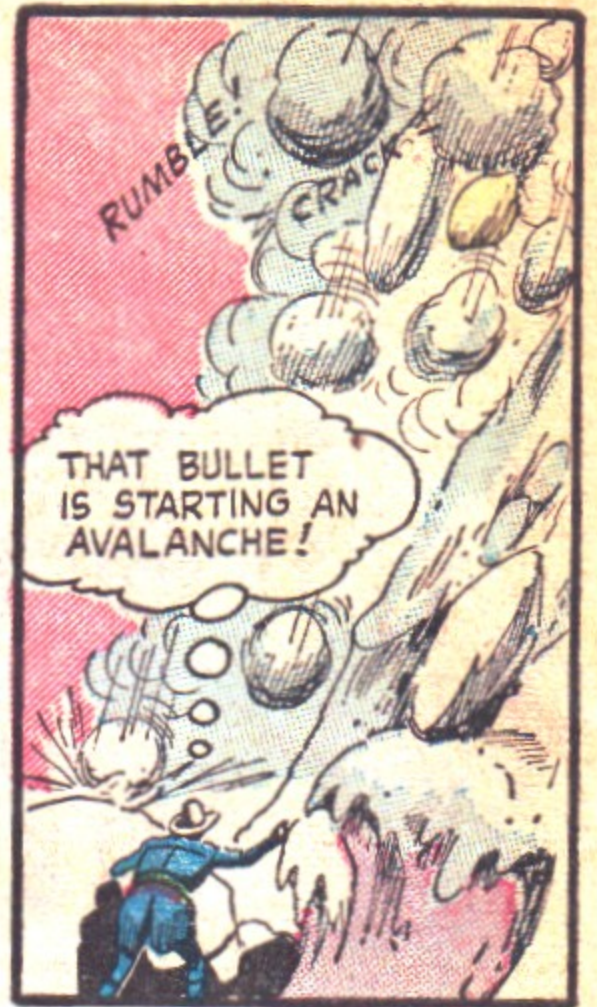
THE SLUG TEARS INTO AN  
OVERHANGING SNOW BANK...

CLOSE!  
SOMEBODY IS  
TRYING TO  
DISCOURAGE  
ME!

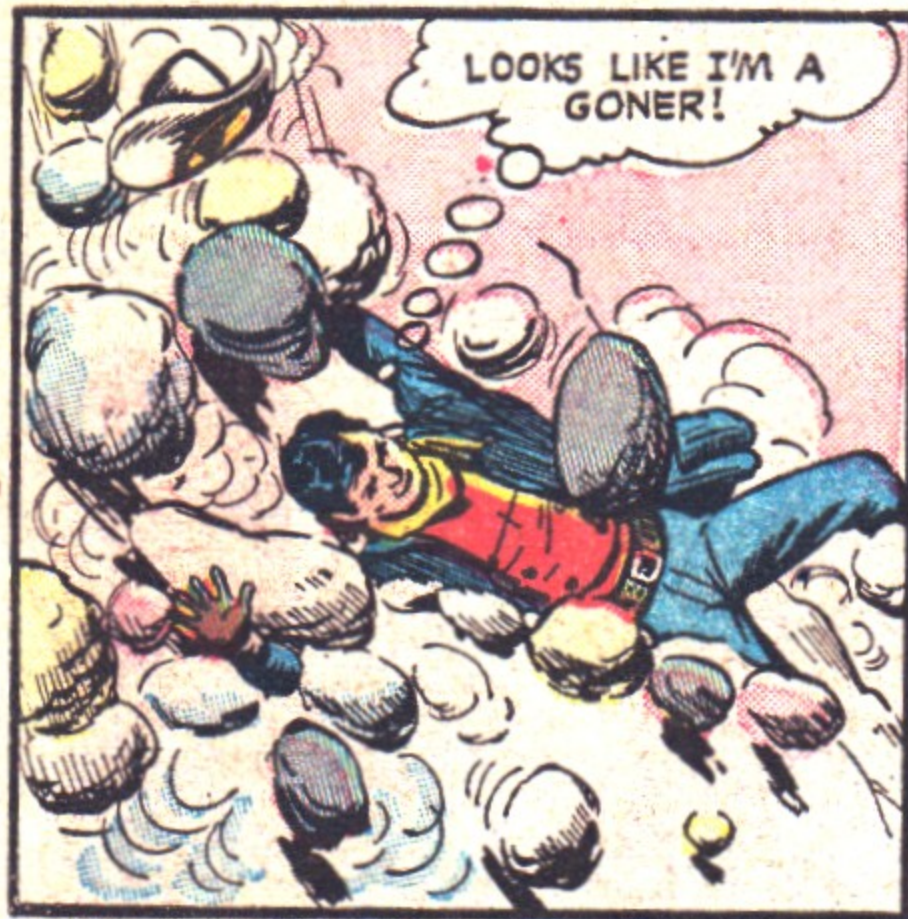


RUMBLE!  
CRACK!

THAT BULLET  
IS STARTING AN  
AVALANCHE!

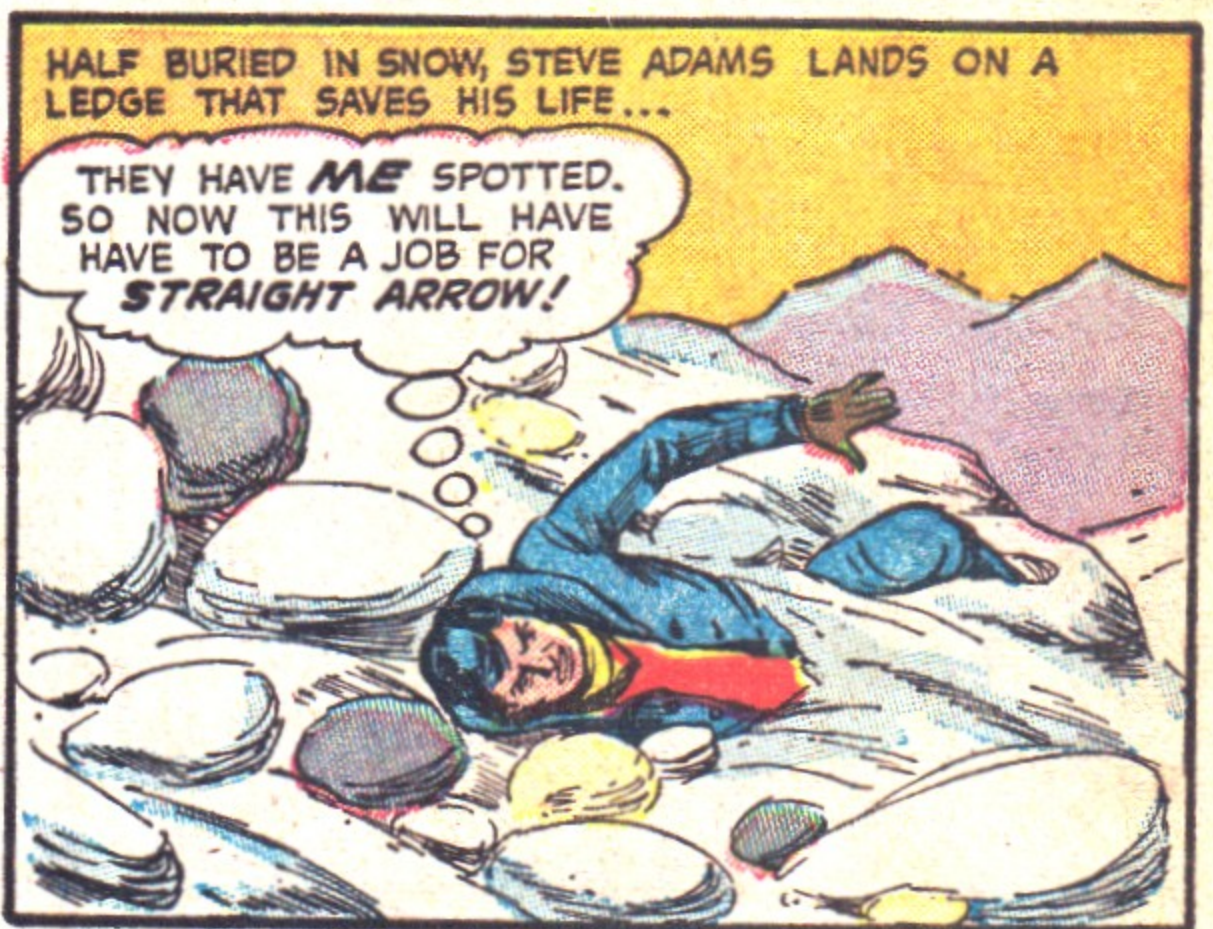


LOOKS LIKE I'M A  
GONER!



HALF BURIED IN SNOW, STEVE ADAMS LANDS ON A  
LEDGE THAT SAVES HIS LIFE...

THEY HAVE *ME* SPOTTED.  
SO NOW THIS WILL HAVE  
TO BE A JOB FOR  
**STRAIGHT ARROW!**



MEANWHILE, AT THE OUTLAW HANGOUT IN  
THE MOUNTAIN RECESS...

YUH SURE GOT 'EM SCAIRT  
WITH THIS SNOWMAN GET-UP  
OF YERS, SLADE!

I'M FIGGERIN'  
OUR NEXT  
JOB! IT'LL  
BE THE  
COACH GOIN' TO  
FORT LARSEN  
WITH THE ARMY  
PAYROLL!

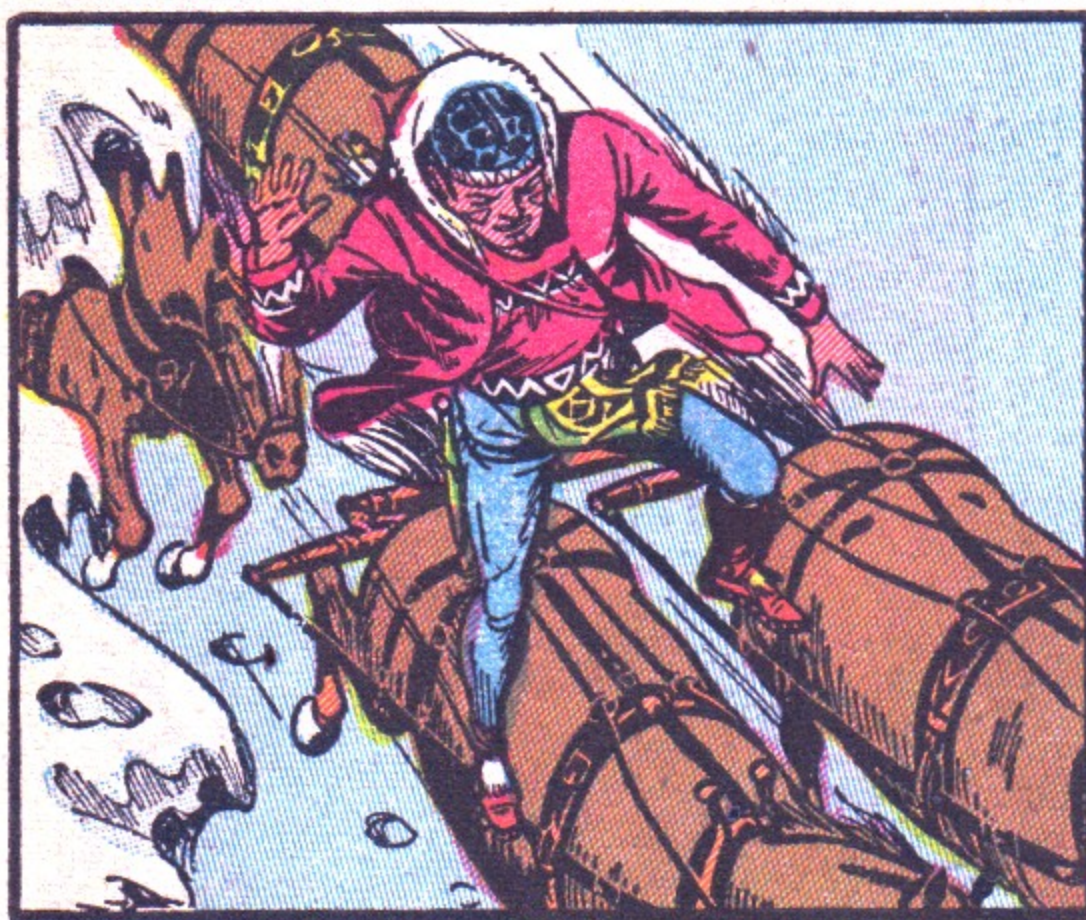
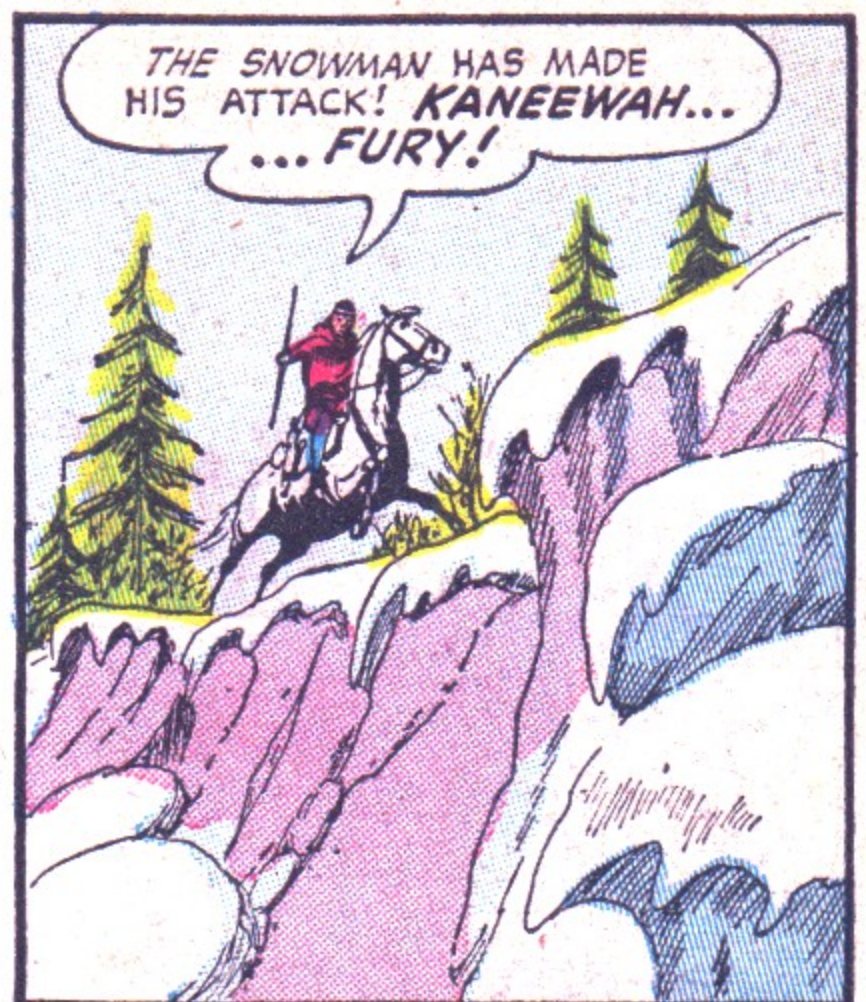
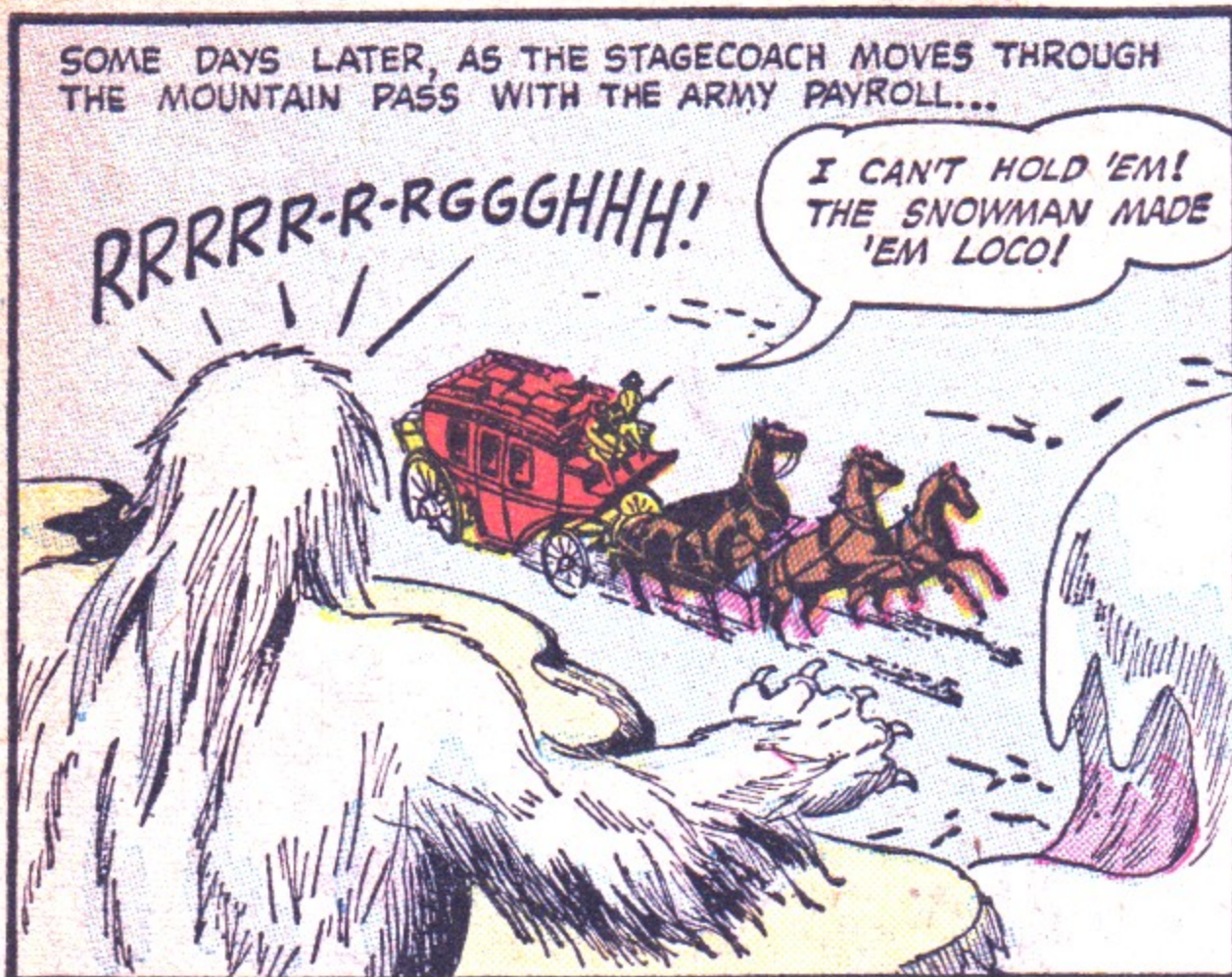


SOME TIME LATER...

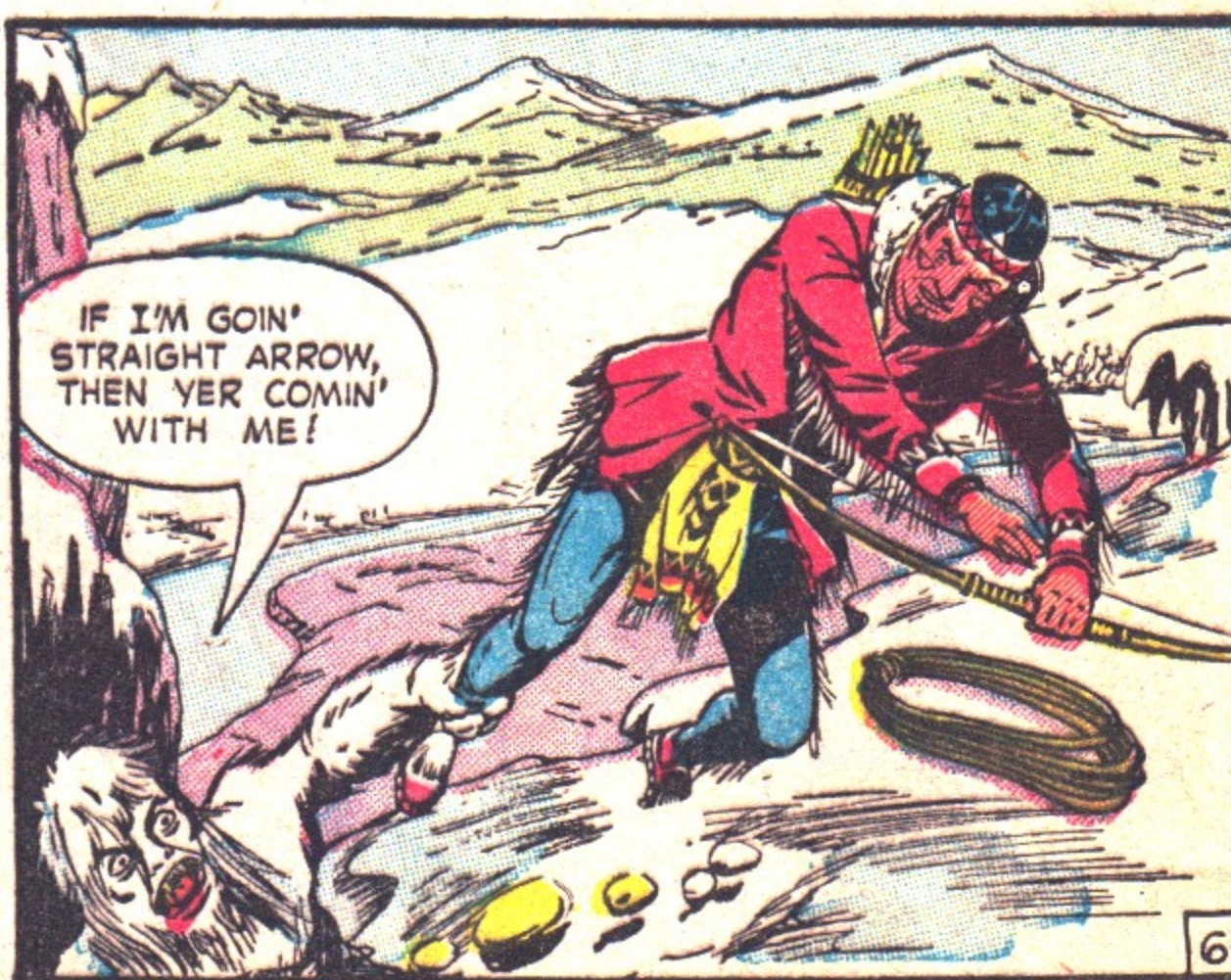
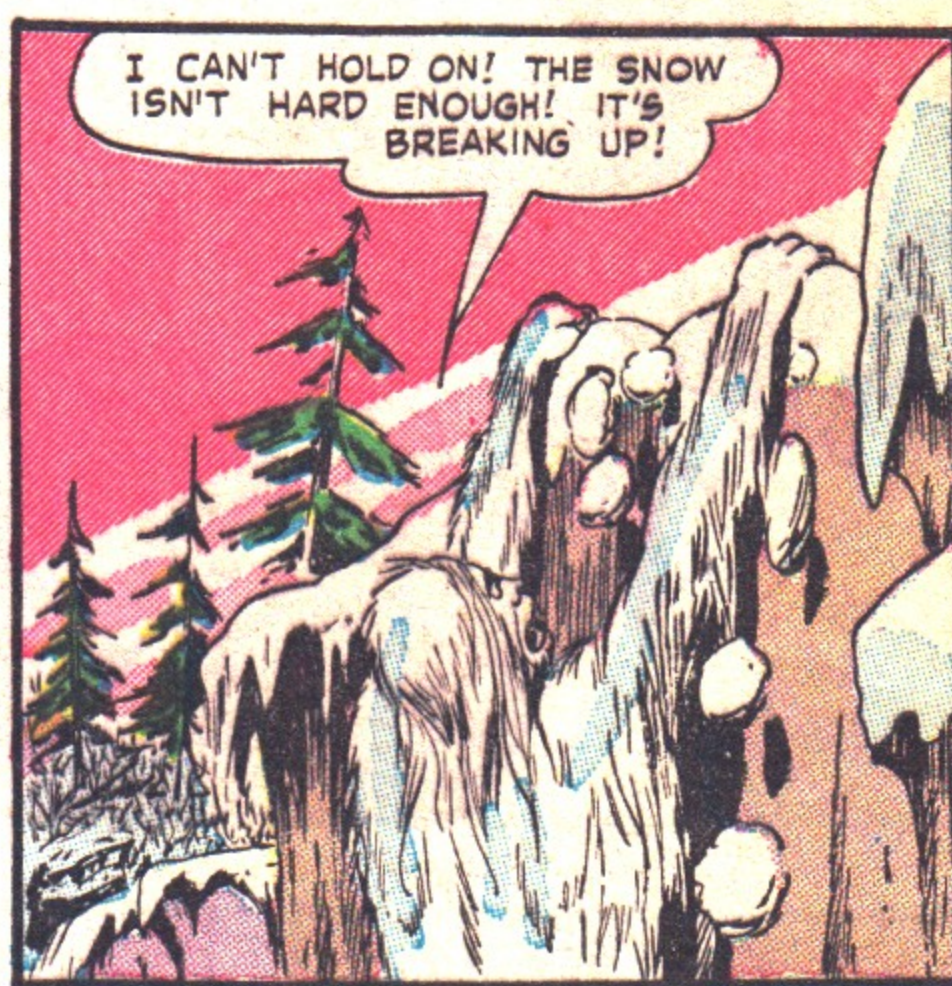
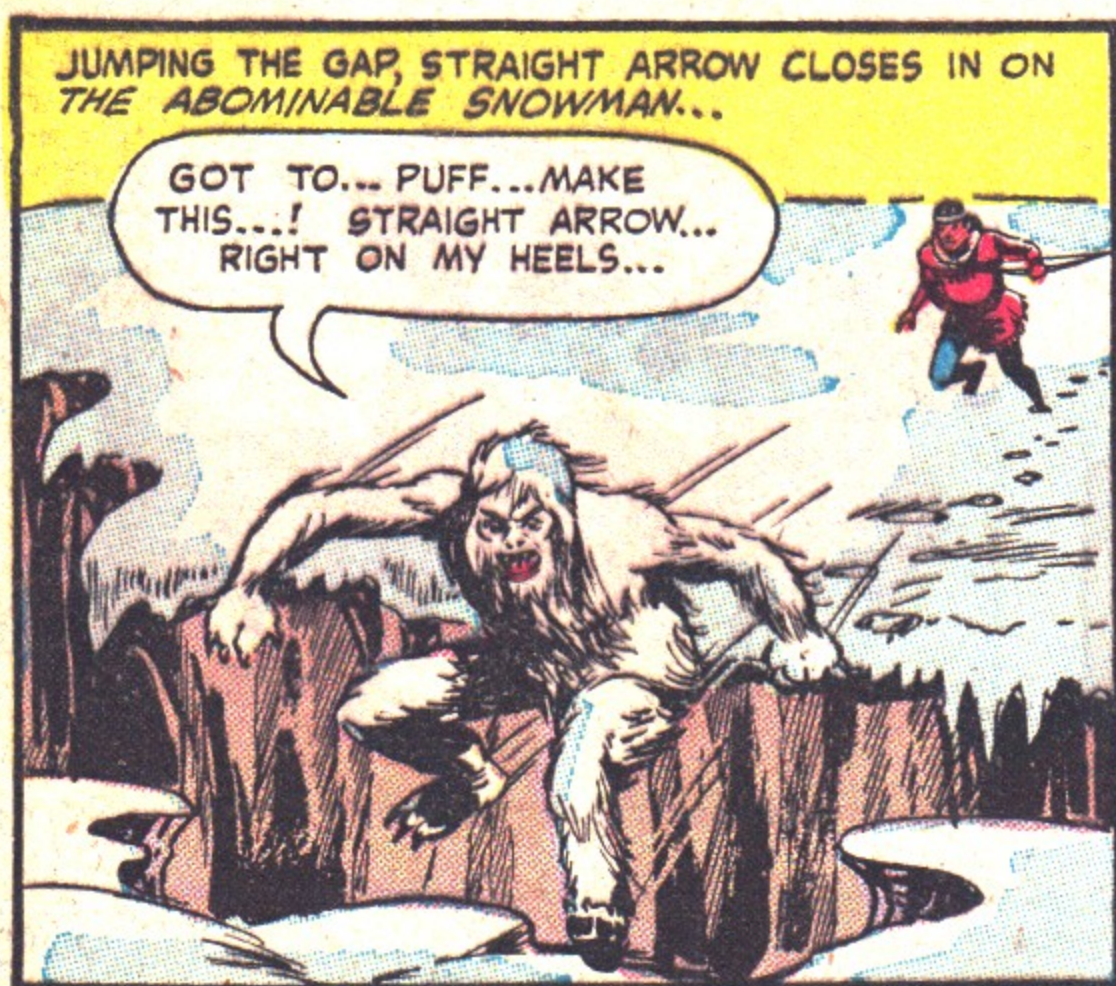
WELL, FURY, THE NEXT  
LOGICAL PLUM FOR THE ABOMINABLE  
SNOWMAN TO GO AFTER IS THE COACH  
GOING TO FORT LARSEN, WITH THE  
ARMY PAYROLL, OVER THE MOUNTAIN  
ROAD! SO WE'LL RIDE HERD ON THAT  
COACH!



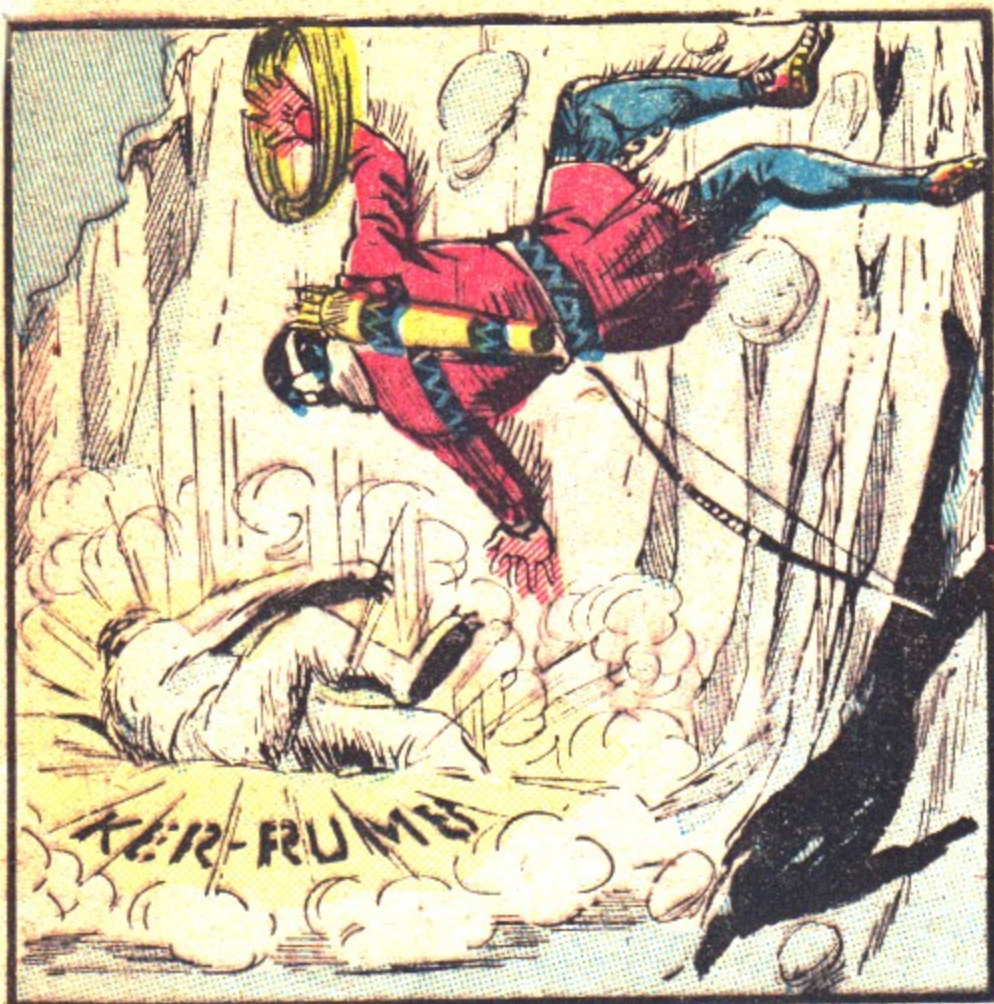




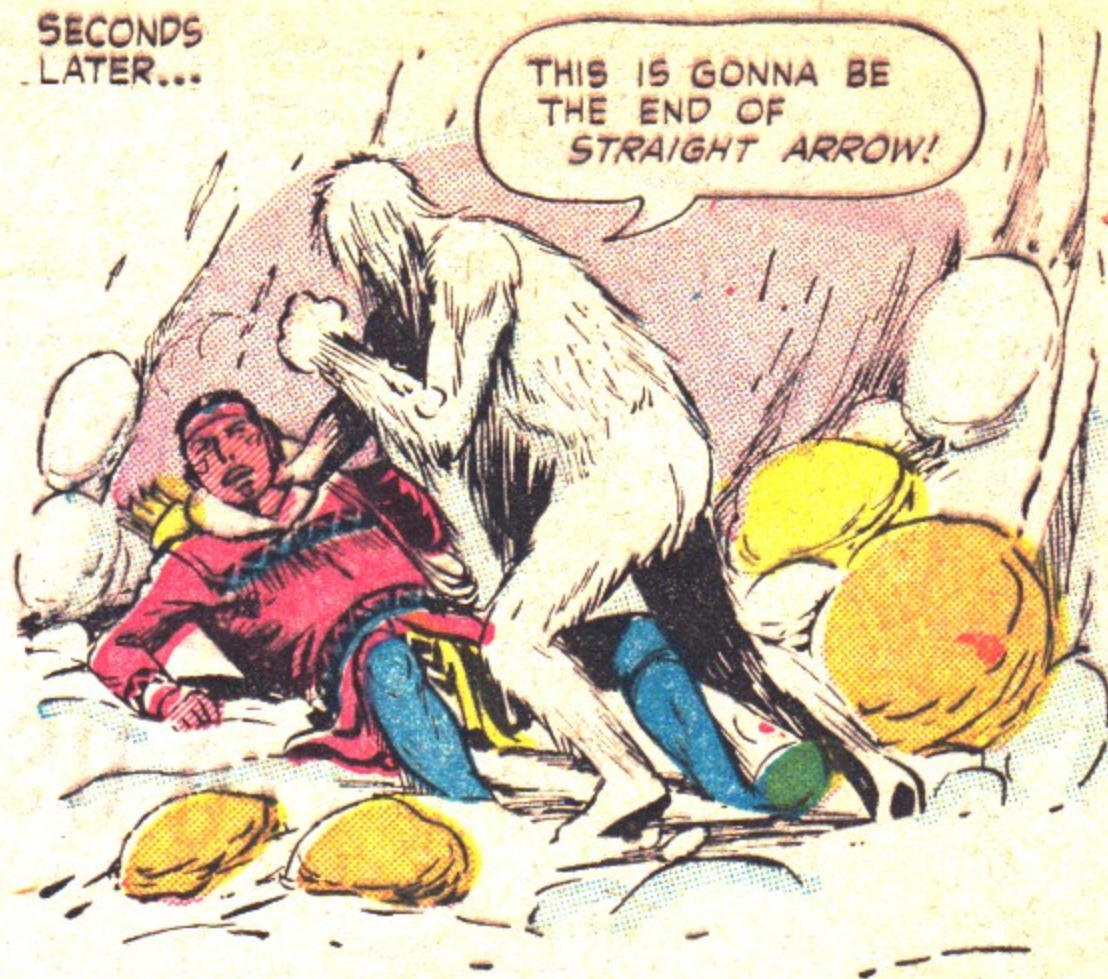




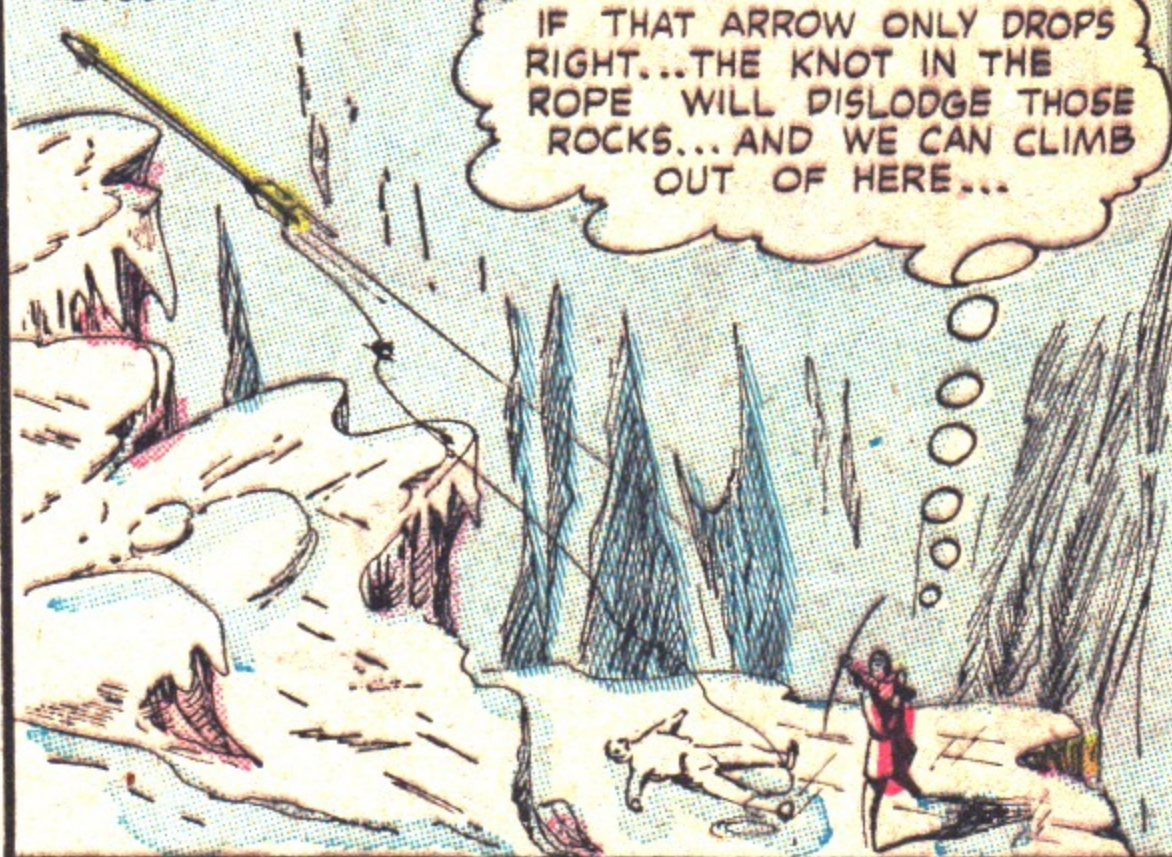




SECONDS  
LATER...



WITH THE ABOMINABLE SNOWMAN WHIPPED, STRAIGHT ARROW FACES THE PROBLEM OF ESCAPING FROM THE ABYSS...



SECONDS  
LATER...

...AND...

THE SNOWMAN IS  
NO LIGHTWEIGHT!



AND A FEW MINUTES LATER...

NOW...LET'S GET INTO TOWN  
AND SEE THE SHERIFF... SO THAT  
WE CAN DESTROY A LEGEND...  
AND BRING A THIEF TO  
JUSTICE!





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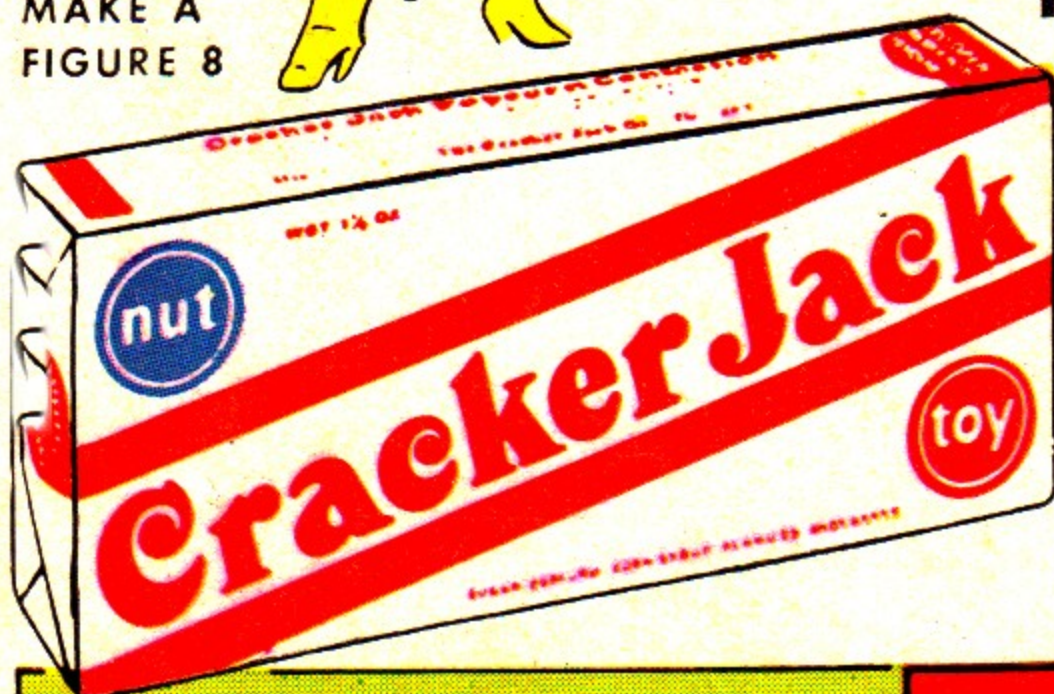
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